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WEATHER REPORT

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE,
WEATHER BUREAU,
WILMINGTON, N. C., April 8.

Meteorological data for the twenty-four hours ending at 8 P. M.:

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 66 degrees. 8 P. M., 67 degrees; maximum, 75 degrees; minimum, 59 degrees; mean, 67 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .11; rainfall since first of the month to date, .31

STORM WARNING.

Southwest storms signals were displayed at 11 A. M. at stations along the coast from Jacksonville, Fla., to Fort Monroe. Severe storm over Middle Mississippi valley was moving east.

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—For North Carolina: —Partly cloudy Saturday; Sunday fair, colder; fresh to brisk southwest to northwest winds.

Port Almanac—April 9.

Sun Rises	5.35 A. M.
Sun Sets	6.29 P. M.
Day's Length	12 H. 53 M.
High Water at Southport.	3.40 P. M.
High Water Wilmington.	6.10 P. M.

Miss Juliet Darling, of Washington, D. C., sends in her subscription to the STAR and wishes us prosperity for our 74th volume. Thank you, Darling.

An eminent Northern physician declares that the best preserved women in the world are those of North Carolina. The reason for that is that they are "peaches."

A discussion is going the rounds as to what apparel a man should leave off when he goes to bed. We suppose it is quite useless to suggest that he might cut out his "night cap."

Judge Parker's ideal about the dignity of the bench and Judge Peebles' experience with the Lumberton bar in their estimate of the ideal would butt into each other with a severe butt.

The campaign is now fast approaching and politicians should be warned in time not to take to the stump in hot sunshine or rain, or act in any other way that will subject them to "exposure."

Our ancestors are being criticized for having had such massive steps built to the capitol. They can be excused, for they had no idea that such light-weight Congressmen would have to use them in this day and time.

Every now and then some writer regales us with the "beneficial uses of adversity." More often than otherwise, our experience with adversity convinces us that the supply is larger than we can put to any use whatsoever.

The dignified and lofty contest for the Democratic nomination for Governor in North Carolina does credit to the Democratic party and the several able and popular men who are making the fight. Not a mud ball has been fired in the contest.

A married man who evidently doubts his ability to "carry a stiff upper lip" in time of trouble, asks us this: "Is there any harm in a man's telling his wife a lie?" She may make harm for you if you are not artist enough to keep her from getting onto your curves.

A severe contrast with the dignified contest between Democrats for the nomination at the hands of their party is found in the recent very dirty campaign among the Republican aspirants for the nomination in the Eighth North Carolina district. In the Salisbury *Sun* Spencer Blackburn publishes a card apologizing for slandering his opponent, Mr. A. H. Price.

LOCAL DOTS.

—Lumberton *Argus*: "The S. A. L. is now using some of their heaviest engines on the Wilmington division."

—Mr. Mark Levy will speak at the First Baptist church to-morrow at 11 A. M. Subject, "The Second Coming of Christ." No service at night.

—This afternoon on the Cape Fear Golf links a men's handicap tournament will be played. A cup is offered by the ladies of the club.

—Newbern *Journal*: "Mr. G. H. Hutaff, of Hutaff Bros., Wilmington, is in this city making arrangements to establish a branch of his Coca Cola Bottling Works."

—The A. B. C. baseball team defeated the S. S. C's. in a game of baseball yesterday afternoon by a score of 4 to 2. Batteries, Green and Bremer; Croom and Miller.

—A serious cutting affray occurred last night at the cotton seed oil mill. One negro stabbed another in the leg and broke the blade off in the flesh. The injured man was sent to the hospital but later removed to his home.

—The STAR was in error yesterday in stating that Fireman Henry Kermon was injured at the fire Thursday afternoon. Mr. Kermon was slightly hurt by being thrown against a door at the engine house as the apparatus was turning out for the fire.

—Owing to the temporary disabling of the engine attached to the Newbern train yesterday, an extra freight locomotive had to be pressed into service at Holly Ridge. The freight engine brought in the train at 3:30 P. M.

—A game of baseball was played yesterday on the O. A. N. grounds between the C. F. A. Juniors and the W. H. S. Juniors, the score having resulted in a victory for the High School by 14 to 5. The batteries were: W. H. S., Brittain and Hall; C. F. A., Canady, Poisson and Jewell.

—Friends in Wilmington have received invitations reading as follows: "Mr. Clarence Low announces the marriage of his niece, Miss Bessie Kidder, to Major George McClellan Derby, corps of engineers, U. S. A., on Monday, the fourth of April, nineteen hundred and four, New Orleans."

VETERANS ELECT OFFICERS.

Sixteenth Annual Meeting of Cape Fear Camp Held Last Night.

The sixteenth annual meeting of Cape Fear Camp No. 254, U. C. V., was held last night at the W. L. I. armory. The principal items of business transacted were the reading of annual reports and the election of officers for the ensuing year. The officers chosen are as follows:

Commander—Col. W. J. Woodward.

First Lieutenant Commander—Capt. Henry Savage.

Second Lieutenant Commander—Comrade Stephen Jewett.

Adjutant—Capt. A. L. DeRosset.

Sergeant Major—Comrade A. G. Hankins.

Treasurer—Comrade O. M. Fillyaw.

Chaplain—Dr. James Carmichael.

Surgeon—Dr. W. D. McMillan.

Standard Bearer—Comrade T. P. Sykes.

A large number of communications were read and ordered on file. Favorable action was taken upon the application for membership of R. M. V. Reaves, Co. E, 18th N. C. Regiment.

The annual report of Commander Woodard recalls the sixteen years that have passed since the organization of the camp—years which have had their joys and sorrows. Regular and special meetings during the past year are noted with special reference to that to take action regarding the death of the lamented Gen. Gordon. In their order the following are mentioned as having passed "over the river and are at rest under the shade of the trees," viz: April 14th, 1903, Comrade W. R. Kenan; May 11th, 1903, Comrade W. R. French; June 20th, 1903, Comrade J. M. McGowan; June 23d, 1903, Comrade B. F. White; January 27th, 1904, Comrade DeLeon Fillyaw; February 16th, 1904, Comrade S. W. Nobles; February 24th, 1904, Comrade Solomon Bear; February 26th, 1904, Comrade W. W. Blanks.

Closing the report Commander Woodward says: "Our thanks are due Cape Fear Chapter, Daughters of the Confederacy, for their never ceasing labors in our behalf and their increasing devotion to our cause, to the Wilmington Light Infantry Company for their continual courtesies, to the Sons of the Veterans, Boys' Brigade and others who have favored us with presence at various times, to our local papers for their interest in our camp, and last but not least, to our faithful and worthy adjutant."

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Notice—In bankruptcy.
Platt & Haar—Hosiery.
Spring—One of the signs.
Suburban Trolley—Notice.
Wm. E. Worth & Co.—Ice.
J.H. Rehder & Co.—Spring hosiery.
Academy—Escaped from Sing Sing.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Found—Setter dog.
Rooms—For rent.
Stolen Horse—Notice.
Wanted—Telephone man.
Lost—Lady's black ruching.
To the Beach—Take the children.
White Plymouth Rocks—Exchange.

We have our own cows, and can give you something nice in the way of Ice Cream. †

ONLY BRIEF SESSION.

Very Little Doing in the New Hanover Superior Court During Yesterday.

SEVERAL DIVORCES GRANTED.

Judge M. H. Justice Here to Open Next Week's Term—Celebrated Penny Railroad Damage Suit Set for Trial Monday—Notes.

Only a brief session of the Superior Court was held yesterday, the cases set for trial on the calendar having been of no importance. Court met at 9:30 o'clock as usual, Judge Ferguson presiding. Of the 10 tales jurors drawn for the day, the Sheriff returned six as summoned, Messrs. P. T. Dickey, Louis Tindall, D. F. Peterson, and J. P. Jones not having been found. The attorneys took advantage of the lull in the proceedings and started the divorce mill with the following result:

Effie Grissom vs. Robert Grissom, white, divorce granted; grounds, abandonment.

Sam. Falson vs. Ella Falson, colored, divorce granted; grounds, adultery.

Jas. S. Jordan vs. Sarah M. Jordan, white; divorce granted; grounds abandonment.

The only civil suit set for trial and tried was that of Lou Garrison vs. Willard Bag & Mfg. Co. The plaintiff was given judgment, the amount in question being only about $4.

A final decree confirming the sale of lands was entered in case of M. Sophia Blossom and Samuel Blossom vs. Ida J. Cowan, W. P. Dickinson, W. L. Webb and others.

The court at 11:30 o'clock took a recess until 10 A. M. to-day. The cases set for trial are of no importance. The first—A. D. Wessell vs. L. Kilve—will be contined on account of the sickness of a witness. The others set for trial to-day are Margaret Magarrahan et al. vs. A. G. Ricaud et al. and Caroline Wise vs. James McMillan et al. It is not expected that more than an hour or two will be required for a trial of those cases and Judge Ferguson will leave on the 2:25 Newbern train to hold Craven Superior Court next week by exchange with Judge M. H. Justice, of Rutherfordton.

Judge Justice arrived on the belated Newbern train yesterday from Jones county and will hold the remaining two week's term of court here in place of Judge Ferguson. The new term will open Monday at 10 o'clock and will be regularly organized for the trial of both civil and criminal matters. Of the latter there will be only such cases as have or may develop since the completion of the docket Friday afternoon. Solicitor Duffy will remain in the city until Tuesday. A grand jury will be drawn, regularly empanelled and charged by His Honor as usual, but there will be very little for it to do.

The only important civil suit set for Monday is that of B. F. Penny against the W. C., & A. Railroad Company in which the plaintiff asks heavy damages for being shot by the negro Sam Callaway as the latter was being ejected from a train of the defendant Company at Leland, N. C., on a Sunday afternoon in the early Fall of 1898. The case has several times been tried and sent back and forth from the Supreme Court. The attorneys for the plaintiff are Messrs. Bellamy & Bellamy, ex-Judge E. K. Bryan, Herbert McClammy and A. J. Marshall, Esqs. The railroad company is represented by Messrs. Rountree & Carr, Davis & Davis and Hon. John D. Bellamy.

The following talesmen were drawn for service to-day: M. L. Winner, Thos. B. Casteen, Anson Alligood, James B. Fales, J. M. Chadwick, A. W. Allen, W. S. Craig, Sr., J. W. Gates, Jno. C. Heyer, and D. D. George.

L'AGILE'S EASTER GERMAN.

Many Couples Participated in Delightful Dance Last Night in Masonic Temple.

The post-Lenten german by L'Agile Cotillion Club last night in the Masonic Temple was one of the prettiest of the season and was most gracefully led by Mr. E. S. Nash. Hollowbush's Academy Orchestra rendered delightful music and the decorations were exceedingly handsome. The following are among the couples who participated in the pleasures of the occasion:

Miss Julia Parsley, Mr. W. P. Boger; Miss Lillie Gilchrist, Mr. C. M. Cooke; Miss Leonora Cantwell, Mr. Julian R. Clements; Miss Sarah Catlett, Mr. Paul Cantwell; Miss Young of Texas, Mr. P. W. Davis; Miss Mary Allen Short, Mr. Haywood Falson; Miss Madeline DeRossett, Mr. C. D. Maffitt; Miss Bessie Gore, Mr. Clarence Myers; Miss Margaret Ashe, Mr. Geo. Parsley; Miss Annabel Latimer, Mr. S. C. Potts; Miss London of Rock Hill, S. C., Mr. Harry West; Miss Nellie McMillan, Mr. J. McRee Hatch; Miss Daisy Burbank, Mr. Henry J. MacMillan; Miss Mildred Davis, Capt. C. McD. Davis; Miss Amy Harlow, Mr. Norwood Giles; Miss Irene Eldred of Milwaukee, Mr. E. S. Nash; Miss Maude Moore of Princeton, Ind.

Stags—Messrs. R. H. Bradley, R. A. Williams and Mr. VanLuven.

Patronesses—Mrs. R. G. Rankin, Jr., Mrs. R. N. Nash, Mrs. F. W. Dick and Mrs. Warren S. Johnson.

—To-day at Lockport, N. Y., Mr. William Rand Kenan, Jr., will wed Miss Pomeroy, of Lockport. They will spend their honeymoon in California.

PROGRESS OF STREET WORK.

North Fourth Street Paving Will Begin Soon—Drainage and Other Matters Contemplated—Reminder of Old.

Mayor Springer said yesterday that within a few days he would advertise for bids for the paving of North Fourth street, and that it was the purpose of the Streets and Wharves Committee to complete the work as early as possible. The macadam work will, however, go on as before. Within a few days work will also be commenced on paving Second, between Market and Princess streets. Before laying the pavement, it is proposed to lay an 18 inch terra cotta drain pipe in the middle of the street connecting with the large main 24-inch drain on Market street and giving an outlet to the floods of water which cover the paved sections of Princess street upon the occasion of every shower. The drain pipe has been shipped and should be here Monday. A majority of the property owners along Second street have signed agreements to pay their pro rata of the cost of the pavement, and the others will likely do the same by the time the work is completed.

Mr. Wm. H. Dorin, representing the Warren Brothers'-Company, paving contractors of New York and Boston, was here yesterday and submitted to the Mayor a sample of the famous Bitulithic Pavement, a composition of granite and cement which is said to be very popular in other cities. Mr. Dorin will probably submit a bid for the North Fourth street work when proposals are invited. He was shown over the city yesterday by Engineer S. P. Adams. The Bitulithic Pavement is now being used in Asheville on a $30,000 contract and the company has a $90,000 contract pending with the city of Salisbury, N. C., contingent upon the sale of bonds. The grounds to the Exposition in St. Louis are also being paved with the bitulithic composition.

Work was begun yesterday on excavating for the drain pipes emptying into the river at foot of Market street. During the progress of the excavations yesterday the laborers uncovered two very thick stone walls a few feet below the surface. Inquiry from several "older citizens" disclosed the facts that these walls were the foundations of the old market house which formerly stood in the centre of the street and which was torn down about the year 1840. Mr. Richard J. Jones remembers the market house well and says that another of similar architecture stood near Second and Market streets long before the war. Mr. Jones remembers the architecture of the building well.

LOCAL MARKETS AND SHIPPING.

Week in Cotton and Naval Stores—Departure of Vessels

Schooner "Sallie C. Marvil," Capt. Quillan, having completed discharging cargo here, cleared, light, yesterday for Savannah.

The tug "Alexander Jones," having received coal here yesterday, passed down the river in the afternoon and will leave this morning for Lookout to tow the disabled schooner "Churchill" to her destination.

After many days of "nothing doing" the local spirits of turpentine market opened steady at 53½c. yesterday. The first week of the new naval store year closed yesterday with a falling off in all receipts except crude from the same week last season. The figures are as follows: 1904—spirits, 47; rosin, 941; tar, 533; crude, 195. Last year: spirits, 101; rosin, 1895; tar, 2,542; crude, 186. The cotton market remains nominal. Receipts during the past week were only 144 bales against 481 same week last year. The New York spot market yesterday was quiet at 15c. Futures were up about 10 points.

FERGUSONS SAY FAREWELL.

Closing Engagements at the Academy To-day—Big Gift Matinee.

The Ferguson Stock Company will say "farewell" with bargain matinee and night performance to-day. "Escaped From Sing and Sing," a thrilling production with a plot laid around the famous National prison, will be the offering at night and at the same performance, "a barrel of money" will be given away. The matinee prices will be 10 and 20 cents and every child attending will receive a present.

"Our Bachelors" was the bill last night and the audience seemed eminently satisfied with the way it was presented.

Take the Children to Seashore.

For the purpose of giving parents an opportunity of taking the children to the beach, the C. R., L. & P. Co. will inaugurate to-day a week of low rates for all persons under 12 years of age, the rate being 25c for the round trip. Nothing is so refreshing or beneficial in health during early spring as a day at the seashore—a fact which parents should not be slow to appreciate. The repairs to the trestle having been completed, cars will in the future run straight through to the beach.

Annual Sermon to W. L. I.

The annual sermon to the Wilmington Light Infantry will be preached Sunday afternoon in St. James' church by the chaplain, the Rev. R. W. Hogue, rector of the parish. The company will assemble under command of Capt. Wm. F. Robertson at 4:30 o'clock and attend the service in uniform.

A visit to our store will convince you that we have everything good to eat, at Farrie's, 109 South Front. †

KILLED AT WALLACE.

Young Eugene B. Wiggins Met a Tragic Death There Early Last Night.

HIS HOME IN WILMINGTON.

Fell Between Cars Being Shifted on Sidetrack—Died Within Two Hours After Injury—Distressing News Conveyed to the Family Here.

Early last night the shocking intelligence reached the city that young Eugene B. Wiggins had fallen from a train at Wallace, N. C. and had been fatally injured. A later report bore the more distressing but not unexpected information that the young man had died two hours after the accident at the home of Mr. Sam. Westbrook to which he was carried soon after he was injured. Particulars of the sad accident had not been received by the railway officials up to a late hour last night, but from a long distance telephone conversation with Dr. C. S. Sloan, of Wallace, it was learned that young Mr. Wiggins, while standing on the top of some box cars that were being shifted on the side track at Wallace, fell between two of them and the trucks of one passed over him, breaking the right leg just below the knee, the left one just above the knee, while his hip was badly crushed. He was also injured internally. He was not unconscious, however, when he was picked up, and while being carried across the track to the residence of Mr. Westbrook, in front of which the accident occurred, he told those about him to tell his mother that he loved her and that he died like a man.

Dr. B. R. Graham and Dr. J. W. Carroll, A. C. L. surgeons at Wallace, were summoned as quickly as possible, but they saw from the first that there was no hope, and his widowed mother, Mrs. Elizabeth B. Wiggins, and his sister, Miss Lina Wiggins, of Wilmington, were notified by kind friends, who prepared them as gently as possible for the more distressing news which followed. In the meantime a special train had been made up here and was being prepared to take the mother and sister, Dr. E. J. Wood and other physicians to Wallace, but the later news made it unnecessary to send the train. Everything possible was done for the young man by the physicians and friends at Wallace, but it was all to no avail.

Young Mr. Wiggins was in the 21st year of his age and was universally loved by all who knew him. He was a boy of buoyant spirits and a most agreeable companion. For several years he was employed in the offices of Messrs. Alexander Sprunt & Son, but a year ago he manifested an inclination for railroad work and was reluctantly given up by his first employers to enter the general offices of the Atlantic Coast Line as a clerk in the office of Mr. R.S. McIver, auditor of freight receipts. The work there was confining and the young clerk decided to enter the transportation service and work his way up. He gave up a more lucrative and pleasant position and became a flagman until the required experience was obtained to fit him for something better. He had been in that service less than a week and last night was on his second run on Local Freight No 1, in charge of Conductor Clifton, bound from Rocky Mount to Wilmington. Arriving at Wallace, the train commenced shifting on the side track and the young man was on top of one of the cars. In some way that will perhaps never be explained, he fell between two of them and the dire consequences of that fall have already been related.

The accident occurred at 8:30 o'clock. Half an hour later the same train was unfortunate enough to derail two cars, also at Wallace, but that had no connection with the more serious accident immediately preceding it. A wrecking train left Wilmington soon after the derailment of the cars and upon that it is expected that the remains of young Wiggins will be brought home at 7 o'clock this morning.

They Are Learning Agriculture.

Prof. J. A. Holt, principal of the Williston Graded School, colored, on yesterday sent to the STAR a bunch of fine radishes and a large head of lettuce, which, the writer explains in an accompanying letter, is sent not for the intrinsic value, but because the school felt that it would be appreciated when it was known that the same were raised on the school grounds by the pupils of the school, who are being taught the principles of agriculture in connection with their text book studies. The good work being done at Williston, as evidenced by the fine products of its agricultural department, is certainly appreciated by the public and more should be known about it. At another time the STAR hopes to give further particulars of this interesting work in connection with the leading colored institution in the splendid public school system of the city.

I. O. O. F. Grand Master Coming

Dr. L. B. McBrayer, of Asheville, Grand Master of the Grand Lodge of Odd Fellows in North Carolina, has accepted an invitation to deliver the address upon the occasion of the 85th anniversary celebration of the four I. O. O. F. lodges in the city on the evening of April 28th in the Academy of Music. An elaborate musical programme, including selections by a male quartette, a ladies' quartette and a double mixed quartette, is being arranged.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. Carl B. Rehder is back from a pleasant visit to Charlotte.

— Miss Lucy Bridgers left yesterday for Raleigh to visit relatives.

— Mr. and Mrs. Tench Coxe have returned to their home in Asheville.

— Capt. and Mrs. R. W. Price are guests of friends and relatives at Oceola, Fla.

— Mr. George W. Brunson, Jr., left yesterday afternoon for a week's vacation at his old home in Brunson, S. C.

— Stephen McIntyre and John Gilchrist McCormick, Esqr., of the Lumberton bar, were here yesterday for a few hours.

— Mr. W. H. Leahy, Division Passenger Agent of the Atlantic Coast Line, with headquarters in Savannah, Ga., was here yesterday on railroad business.

DR. WOODROW WILSON COMING.

Committee of First Presbyterian Church Make Important Announcement.

The Entertainment Committee of the First Presbyterian church take great pleasure in announcing to the congregation that they have obtained a promise from Dr. Woodrow Wilson, president of Princeton University, to lecture to the congregation on Friday evening, April 15th. This lecture is arranged by the committee as one of its series of entertainments for the church.

The committee is earnestly desirous that as many as possible may enjoy this rare treat, and hope to include in their invitations some who are not of the congregation but who would appreciate the privilege of hearing Dr. Wilson. They hope, therefore, that the congregation will co-operate in their plans. All the members are requested to decide definitely whether or not they expect to attend the lecture; so that on Sunday, at the close of the morning service, each household may report the number of places required. Blank slips will be found in the pews, and these will be collected at the doors. If the number found on the slip includes a guest the name of such guest will also be written there. This is to avoid duplicating invitations. All invitations will be issued by the committee, and in case it is impossible to invite all who are wanted, names of guests should be written in order of choice. The congregation can easily see how much the committee need their help. All are urged to use great care as the seating capacity of the hall is very limited, and the committee is anxious to make this event thoroughly comfortable and enjoyable.

THE GAMING HOUSE INDICTMENTS.

Opinion is Divided as to Settlement of Recent Cases in Superior Court.

In view of an apparent dissatisfaction in some quarters with the references to the terms of the settlement of the gambling cases in the Superior Court here this week, it was stated on the street yesterday that an attorney of the city contemplated going before Judge Ferguson and making a motion to erase the judgment according to the compromise and to reinstate the cases on the docket. Judge Ferguson was quoted as having expressed a doubt as to the regularity of such a proceeding and Solicitor Duffy is quoted as having said that he knew of the contemplation of no such discourtesy to him. A number of disinterested people took occasion yesterday to compliment the prosecuting authorities upon their method of accomplishing the ends of justice without working an over-hardship upon any one. The prosecution avows that the purpose of the indictments was to eliminate the evils of semi-public gaming houses in the city and without going into the cases they feel that they have accomplished that end.

Robbed an Old Cobbler.

Lucy Sidbury, alias Lucy Davis, colored, was held for the Superior Court Monday by Justice Fowler yesterday on a charge of the larceny of an amount of money from an old negro cobbler, Cyrus Smith, who has a shop at southwest corner of Third and Walnut streets. It was alleged that the woman visited the old cobbler after he had closed up his shop one night, pretending that she wanted to get $5 changed out of which to pay old man Smith 50c. which she had borrowed from him. Smith says when he counted out the money, the woman grabbed something over $4 and ran, leaving some packages on the floor in her haste. The packages were introduced as evidence against her, but she denied knowledge of them until it was testified by others that she had previously been seen with them. She gave $50 bond to escape jail until her appearance Monday.

Real Estate Transfers.

By deeds filed for record yesterday Philip Heinsberger, Sr., trustee, transferred to Philip Heinsberger, Jr., for $1 and other consideration, property on east side of Third, 81 feet south of Grace street, 66x119½ feet in size, more or less, and J. H. Thomas and Bettie S. Thomas transferred to R. G. Grady, for $500, property on east side of Northeast river, adjoining property known as the "Rose Hill plantation," containing 488 acres, more or less.

Call 626 if you want something good to eat for Sunday, at Farrie's, 109 South Front. †

Sweet Milk and Cream for sale at Farrie's, 109 South Front. †

A WORD TO MEN WHO WANT FINE CLOTHING FOR SPRING.

Old Sol can't mar the color or shape of the

Stetson Hat

It is the acknowledged king of men's headwear. That is why we have a complete line of the Stetson soft and derby shapes.

J. M. SOLKY & CO.

AN UNUSUAL DISPLAY

Of Easter Scarfs, Hats, Clothing and Furnishings of the finest makers, now to be seen at Solky's.

Just received One Thousand Boys' and Youths's Spring Suits.

Our line of Spring Clothing for Boys and Youths is the largest and most varied in North Carolina.

Buy your Children's Clothing from us and you will have the satisfaction of knowing they are among the best dressed children in Wilmington.

The man who comes in to-day and looks over the splendid array of Spring Suits that we are showing is going to have an eye opening, as to securing smart clothes, as well as saving money. We pushed into the cream of the fine woollens that the mills produced this season and we saw them all. Your custom tailor hasn't any handsomer stuffs.

The making of our fine suits is practically the same as custom work, except that the suits are ready made. There is the same careful handwork in building up the lining and stayings which produce shapeliness. The hand-made collars and handworked button holes give the smart fit and finish that you expect only in custom work, as a rule.

ONE PRICE CLOTHIERS AND FURNISHERS,
Masonic Temple Building.
apr 2 tf

Ice, Ice, Ice.

If you want the purest and best Ice made in this city call up 'Phone 94 and 64. We have had 19 years experience making Ice, always endeavoring to make THE BEST, and offer you the benefit of it.

Our Ice is made from pure distilled water condensed from live steam, not exhaust steam,

therefore is free from oil or grease.

Our drivers are all experienced men and will serve you promptly and politely. Any irregularities will be cheerfully corrected.

We thank you for your past patronage and will endeavor to merit a continuance of it.

Very respectfully,

Wm. E. Worth & Co.
apr 9 tf

The Store That Pays Your Car Fare. | **REHDER'S.** | Agents for New Idea Patterns 10c Each.

ANNUAL SALE OF

New Spring Hosiery, Ten Days Only.

Better come to-day before you miss the best values. One is mentioned here, 15c Lace Hose for 10c.

J. H. REHDER & CO.,
615, 617, 619 North Fourth St.

Write to day for samples of Spring Goods. Express charges paid on amounts of $5 and over. apr 9 tf

White and Tan

HOSIERY FOR LADIES, Misses and Children.

Silk Mulls, White, Black and Colors. 19c per yard.

PLATT & HAAR.
apr 9 tf

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

FERGUSON STOCK CO.

Farewell To-day.

Matinee this afternoon.—Every child attending receives a present.

Prices 10 and 20 cents. Tickets on sale at Plummer's.

TO-NIGHT.

"ESCAPED FROM SING SING."

Barrel of money given away at this performance.

Seats now on sale. apr 9 1t

ACADEMY OF MUSIC

Monday Night, April 11th.

Farewell tour of the world. Coming sure,

Duncan Clark's FEMALE MINSTRELS.

The Best Vaudeville and Burlesque Company Travelling

Living Pictures. A Chance to Laugh, A Big City Show.

Seats on sale at Plummer's Saturday. apr 8 3t

One of the Signs of SPRING

is the small boy with little tin bucket and shovel digging in the sands at the Beach.

For one week, beginning Saturday, April 9th, the fare on the suburban trolley line for children under twelve will be 25 cents round trip. Take the children to the Beach. apr 9 2t

Notice.

Beginning with o'clock trip Saturday, April 9th, all suburban trolley cars will run through to the Beach, the repairs to the trestle having been completed. apr 9 2t

The Morning Star.

WILLIAM H. BERNARD,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING, APRIL 9.

A BLOW FOR PARKER.

Right on the heels of the announcement that Cleveland and Gorman have pronounced in favor of Judge Parker for the Democratic nomination for President and that the South has turned to Parker as the the man of destiny, here comes news of a big blow to the Parker boom in New York City. Tammany Hall seems to be the lion in the path of the jurist.

The Brooklyn *Citizen*, a Democratic paper and strongly favoring Parker, says in its news department on the 6th instant:

From a source which is so close to Leader Murphy that it cannot be questioned, it was learned to-day that Mr. Murphy during the past few days has been in consultation with twenty of the twenty-one district leaders in Brooklyn, and that fourteen have pledged themselves to stand with Tammany in the State convention on the issue of an uninstructed delegation. It was freely predicted in Manhattan that Senator McCarren will find himself in the minority next Saturday night when the conventions are held to elect delegates to the State convention, and that not more than seven districts would instruct for Judge Parker.

The New York *Globe* (Rep.) has an exultant account of the efforts of Murphy, the Tammany leader, to block the movement in behalf of Parker. In a double column, double leaded, scare-headed article, the *Globe* says:

The boom of Chief Judge Alton B. Parker for the nomination for President by the Democratic party received a severe blow to-day by the disaffection of a number of district leaders in Brooklyn who have supported State Senator Patrick H. McCarren, and their flocking to Tammany Hall in an effort to make terms. Of course, this disaffection practically makes it certain that the New York State delegation will go to the St. Louis convention uninstructed. McCarren, as is well known, is an out-and-out promoter for Judge Parker. The probable basis for Tammany Leader Murphy's confidence that the State convention would not instruct for Parker developed when it was learned to day that seventeen Brooklyn leaders out of twenty-one had offered, in return for future recognition by the Wigwam, to turn against McCarren in the State convention.

We have noticed a statement of the reasons why the Brooklyn leaders refuse to instruct for Parker, to the effect that the Judge had not at any time stated what he stands for and that they are unwilling to instruct for a man whose opinions on the questions of the day they know nothing of. This was precisely where THE STAR feared that Judge Parker would injure his prospects for the nomination and for that reason we sympathized with the proposition for him to speak out. We fear that the chances for the Democratic party to get the strongest man yet named for the nomination have been materially injured, and in any event, if he gets the nomination, this schism in Tammany will endanger his prospects for carrying New York city with such a majority as would carry the State.

The *Globe*, however, says this desertion from McCarren to Tammany was a trade to get "recognition by the Wigwam." Here we find a lot of ward heelers trading the Presidency for city patronage! As further evidence of this shameless business read further what the *Globe* says:

The reason for this defection is said to be growing skepticism among the leaders in other boroughs as to the possibility of any reward for supporting McCarren and Hill for Parker's sake.

"We haven't any chance for federal jobs," one of them was quoted as saying, "even if Parker is made President. Besides that, he isn't even nominated yet."

Mr. Delany's position in the case discloses a feature of the situation which has long been suspected, namely, that Mayor McClellan is the actual manager of Tammany Hall in all matters affecting the Presidential situation, and Mr. Delany is his most confidential adviser, and the medium through which he makes known his edicts to the faithful.

The collapse of the McCarren opposition to Tammany means, of course, that there will be a solid delegation from New York City at the Democratic State Convention, and that it will vote as a unit against instructions. The surrender of the McCarren leaders to Murphy may seriously affect the Parker boom.

On top of all this mess of sandbagging the Parker boom with patronage, comes additional news that the Democratic leaders in the State have planned a "Peace Move" by which it is hoped to placate Murphy for the choice of Parker for President by booming Mayor McClellan for Governor. Another part of the scheme is to make David B. Hill the candidate for the United States Senate.

If the New York State convention fails to instruct for Parker, the New York Democracy will hardly expect to get either Parker or any other New York man for the nominee.

The national convention will hardly go into the election with a man that Tammany will "knife" or with a man that the State Democracy will not support with unanimity. Let us hope that the Murphy-McCarren emeute is but "a tempest in a teapot."

However, we shall soon see which way the cat jumps, for the New York Democratic State convention will meet at Albany on next Monday week.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

HARD TO EVEN HOBBLE.

A good example of how far cases have gone in Wilmington.

Nothing is more dangerous, if neglected, than kidney disease. If allowed to run on it attacks every organ and every part of the body. Here's a Wilmington case in point, in which a well known citizen points the short way out.

E. Poezolt, merchant tailor of Eighth Front street, residing at 315 North Sixth street, says: "My wife used Doan's Kidney Pills and in her case they proved to be an effective remedy. She suffered with her ankles and could scarcely get down stairs in the morning. We thought it was rheumatism and her ankles would be all puffed up every morning so she could hardly hobble around. Since obtaining Doan's Kidney Pills at R. R. Bellamy's drug store and taking them she seems like another person. She is better in the morning, the swelling left her ankles and from the great relief she obtained we are only too glad to recommend Doan's Kidney Pills to others."

For sale by all dealers. Price 50 cents. Foster-Milburn Co., Buffalo, N. Y., sole agents for the United States.

Remember the name—Doan's—and take no substitute.

ROOSEVELT'S INFAMOUS DISTINCTION.

Republicans protest that they do not favor social equality, but they are going to vote for a man for President who set a pace, that if all were to follow, would mongrelize the South. The two races would not remain as God made them and intended them to be.

If the example set by Theodore Roosevelt were to become the ethics of white people, the result would be like that in Massachusetts and Pennsylvania where there is no discrimination in issuing marriage licenses for unions between the races. In Philadelphia a few days ago a white girl married a negro and her indignant father is seeking to have the marriage annulled. The law of his State makes it possible for what is abhorrent to his soul, but thank God, down here in North Carolina such a marriage is impossible—first, because public sentiment and race pride keep up the barriers between the races; second, for the reason that the law of the land prohibits the intermarriage of negros and whites, a wise and wholesome policy that preserves both races in the marked distinctiveness in which they were created.

We started out to say briefly that former President Grover Cleveland's refutation of the story that he invited negro Fred Douglass and his white wife to the White House leaves Theodore Roosevelt outlined in the limelight as the only President of a white man's republic who has been guilty of an act or condones a policy, which, followed to its true analysis, would break down the bars to social conditions not only in the South, but throughout America. For this reason he has and always will have the execration of all Caucasians who are white and have no "black pigment" in their hearts.

When the Republican party puts up Roosevelt for President, it endorses all he stands for—his "black and tan" color-scheme thrown in to leaven the whole—and just how a self-respecting white man, Southern born, can stomach the man, is beyond our comprehension.

Some of the principles of the Republican party may appeal to our judgment but its acts and tendencies place it out of reach of our respect. Thank God there are few Roosevelts in this country, but how can the nation repent of its sins in order to give the shake to this one Roosevelt?

Yes, let's make Roosevelt the issue of the campaign, and after he hits the ceiling and the social life of the country is saved men can afford to divide on issues for the good of the nation.

A Doubting Thomas!

That's why you suffer from dyspepsia. Invest 25 cents for a trial bottle of the

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and be convinced. It instantly corrects all unpleasant symptoms and quickly cures DYSPEPSIA, Heartburn, Gastritis, relieves that bloated and heavy feeling, restores digestion and makes healthy, vigorous and happy men and women. If you would eat well, sleep well and enjoy all the benefits that a sound stomach insures try it at once.

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CURRENT COMMENT.

—— They say Parker is Hill's man. Perhaps a sufficient retort is that by the same method of reasoning Roosevelt is Addicks' man.—Elmira Gazette, Dem.

—— A South Carolinian in New York, Mr. Finlayson, bears witness to the efficient work already performed by Commissioner of Immigration Watson on his visit to the metropolis. Let the good work proceed.—Columbia State.

—— A Pittsburg banker wisely remarks that the newspaper advertising by the banks of that city has increased the number of depositors enormously during the past year. "In every community," he reasons, "the depositors are but a small proportion of the people who could be induced to become such by persistent, simple explanation in the form of a display advertisement in the newspapers."—The Fourth Estate.

—— This is an advertising age, because it is a progressive age, and all lines of business that are not contented with the old ruts are seeking to get out of them. The surest sign that a business is in a rut is that it does not advertise, for the advertiser is ever the man that is reaching out after more business, and advertising is the most effective means of extending the field of any enterprise that depends upon public patronage.—The Fourth Estate.

TWINKLINGS

—Patience—See that upright piano of mine, it seems as good as new. Patrice—Yes; uprightness seems to pay even in pianos.—Yonkers Statesman.

— She—I am very sorry, but circumstances over which I have no control make me refuse to be your wife. He—What are they? She—Yours.—Brooklyn Citizen.

— Cheer up, old man—the worst is ahead of you!" "Ef dat's de case," was the reply, "will you please, suh, kick me 'way back yander."—Atlanta Constitution.

— A headline in a New York paper reads, "Many farmers come to New York for hands." They'll be sure to get the glad hand if nothing more.—Boston Commercial Bulletin.

— "Our old friend Smith has made quite a name for himself since he came in for his uncle's money." "I hadn't heard of it." "Oh, yes; he calls himself 'Smythe' now."—Catholic Standard and Times.

— Grace—Cheer up, George, money won't buy everything. George—But if we had lots of money we could buy things that would console us for the things money won't buy. Detroit Free Press.

— "Your rich brother is in the hospital, isn't he?" "Yes." "And how is he progressing?" "Oh! I'm dreadfully worried about him!" "So sorry. Are you afraid he will not recover?" "Oh! no, it isn't that I'm worrying about. It's his pretty nurse."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

— At Matthews, near Charlotte, on Wednesday, Jane Flow, colored, was burned to death. She was washing and was changing some clothes from the pot to the tub, when her dress caught from the fire around the pot. She left the tub and ran around the house and came back to the tub and jumped in it. Her clothing was completely burned from her body. Her suffering was intense.

FOREIGN MARKETS.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, April 8.—Cotton: Spot, prices unchanged; American middling 5.28d. The sales of the day were 6,000 bales, of which 300 bales were for speculation and export and included 5,700 bales American. Receipts 3,000 bales, no American.

Futures opened easier and closed quiet; American middling (g o c): April 5.03d; April and May 7.99d; May and June 7.96d; June and July 7.93d; July and August 7.88d; August and September 7.59d; September and October 6.80d; October and November 6.64d; November and December 6.36d; December and January 6.33d; January and February 6.30d.

MARINE.

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Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S M King.

Stmr City of Fayetteville, Robeson, Fayetteville, Jno S McEachern.

Clyde steamer Navahoe, Johnson, Georgetown, S C, H G Smallbones.

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Stmr Tar Heel, Bradshaw, Fayetteville, S M King.

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IN REPLY TO INQUIRIES we have pleasure in announcing that Ely's Liquid Cream Balm is like the solid preparation of that admirable remedy in that it cleanses and heals membranes affected by nasal catarrh. There is no drying or sneezing. The Liquid Cream Balm is adapted to use by patients who have trouble in inhaling through the nose and prefer spraying. The price, including spraying tube, is 75 cents. Sold by druggists or mailed by Ely Brothers, 56 Warren Street, New York. †

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MRS. WINSLOW'S SOOTHING SYRUP has been used for over sixty years by millions of mothers for their children while teething with perfect success. It soothes the child, softens the gums, and allays all pain; cures wind colic, and is the best remedy for diarrhœa. It will relieve the poor little sufferer immediately. Sold by druggists in every part of the world. Twenty-five cents a bottle. Be sure and ask for Mrs. Winslow's Soothing Syrup and take no other kind.

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Arrests discharges from the urinary organs in either sex in 48 hours.

It is superior to Copaiba, Cubeb, or injections, and free from all bad smell or other inconveniences.

SANTAL-MIDY is contained in small Capsules, which bear the name in black letters, without which none are genuine. MIDY

JOINTS PAIN YOU THIS MORNING?
First sign of RHEUMATISM. Dangerous to let it run. Easy to cure now. A single bottle of
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Will probably do the work. Bad cases require more. RHEUMACIDE cures by getting rid of the cause, so that no trace of the disease lingers in the system. It purifies the blood, relieves the inflammation of the kidneys, the chronic constipation and the catarrh that follows such a condition of the system.
Though Mrs. Mary E. Welborn, of High Point, N. C., is 80 years old and had suffered from rheumatism for 20 years, she was completely cured by RHEUMACIDE, and declares she feels "years younger" and is anxious for "all who are suffering from any of the forms of this dread disease" to try RHEUMACIDE and be cured.
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BOBBITT CHEMICAL CO., PROPRIETORS, BALTIMORE, MD.
"GETS AT THE JOINTS FROM THE INSIDE."

COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET

[Quoted officially at the closing by the Chamber of Commerce.]

STAR OFFICE, April 8.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 52¾c per gallon.

ROSIN—Nothing doing.

TAR—Market firm at $1.90 per barrel of 280 pounds.

CRUDE TURPENTINE—Market firm at $2.25 per barrel for hard, $3.75 for dip, $3.75 for virgin.

Quotations same day last year—Spirits turpentine firm at 65c; rosin firm at $1.95@2.00; tar firm at $1.65; crude turpentine firm at $2.25, 4.00@4.00.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	6
Rosin	19
Tar	154
Crude turpentine	38

Receipts same day last year—2 casks spirits turpentine, 449 barrels rosin, 235 barrels tar, 16 barrels crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Market nominal.

Same day last year, market firm at 9½c for middling.

Receipts—0 bales; same day last year, 54.

[Corrected Regularly by Wilmington Produce Commission Merchants, prices representing those paid for produce consigned to Commission Merchants.]

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS—North Carolina, firm. Prime, 90c; extra prime, 95c; fancy, $1.00, per bushel of twenty-eight pounds. Virginia—Prime, 90c; extra prime, $1.00; fancy, $1.05. Spanish, $1.10.

CORN—Firm, 57½@60c per bushel for white.

N. C. BACON—Steady; hams 12½@13c per pound; shoulders, 12½c; sides, 12½c.

EGGS—Dull at 13@14c per dozen.

CHICKENS—Firm. Grown, 25@35c; springs, 15@23c.

TURKEYS—Firm at 12½@13c for live.

BEESWAX—Firm at 25@26c.

TALLOW—Firm at 5½@6½c per pound.

SWEET POTATOES—Firm at 60@65c per bushel.

BEEF CATTLE—Firm at 2½@4c per pound.

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Money on call easy at 1@1½ per cent; last bid 1½ per cent., offered at 1½ per cent.; time loans were easy; sixty days 2½@3 per cent.; ninety days 3@3½ per cent; six months 3½@4 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange firm, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487.35@487.40 for demand and at 484.80@484.85 for sixty-day bills. Posted rates were 485½ and 488. Commercial bills 484¼@484½. Bar silver 64¼. Mexican dollars 48¼. U. S. refunding 2's, registered, 106; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 106; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 106; do. coupon, 107; U. S. 4's, new, reg'd, 133½; U. S. 4's, new, coupon, 133½; U. S. 4's, old, reg'd, 107¾; do. coupons, 107¼; U. S. 5's, registered, —; do. coupon, —; Southern Railway, 5's, 113¼. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio pref'd 90; Chesapeake & Ohio 33; Manhattan L 142½; New York Central 117; Reading 44½; do. 1st pref'd, 78½; do. 2nd pref'd 60; Southern Railway 23½; do. pref'd 85; Amalgamated Copper 51½; People's Gas 96½; Tennessee Coal and Iron 39¾; U. S. Leather 7; U. S. Leather, preferred, 78; Western Union 88¼; U. S. Steel 11½; do. preferred 61½; Virginia Carolina Chemical, 39¼; sales—shares; do. preferred, closed 103¾ bid; sales—shares. Standard Oil 625.

BALTIMORE, MD., April 8.—Seaboard Air Line, common, 9¾@10; do. preferred, 17¾@18c; do. bonds, fours, —; Atlantic Coast Line, common, 108¾@109 bid; do. preferred, —.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Rosin firm. Strained common to good $2 85. Spirits turpentine quiet.

CHARLESTON, April 8.—Spirits turpentine and rosin nominal; nothing doing. Quotations omitted.

SAVANNAH, April 8.—Spirits turpentine was firm at 53c; receipts 435 casks; sales 245 casks; exports 330 casks. Rosin was dull; receipts 1,257 barrels; sales 793 barrels; exports 330 barrels. Quote: A, B, C, $2 50; D, $2 50; E, $2 55; F, $2 60; G, $2 65; H, $2 70; I, $2 95; K, $3 30; M, $3 35; N, $3 60; W G, $3 75; W W, $3 95.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, April 8.—The cotton market opened easy at an advance of three to eight points, following considerably better cables than expected, but there was little demand and very soon after the opening a renewal of selling by the same interests who have recently been prominent on the bear side of the market eased prices off to a little under the closing figures of last night, when the continued light movement and reports of a better spot demand from New Orleans together with less favorable weather reports from the Southwest, caused a rally that was increased somewhat around midday by buying on the strong showing of the weekly figures. In the middle of the afternoon another bear raid took place, driving May down to about 14.67, and July to 14.93 or about the closing prices of the previous night. This was followed by a sharp recovery on covering as a result of rather more active Southern spot markets, most of which reported small sales, the better spot business in the local markets and reports of heavy exports from New Orleans. The close was steady at practically the best prices of the day, an advance of twenty-nine points on the spot month, and of eight to twelve points on the other positions. Sales were only 50,000 bales, one of the smallest business this season.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Cotton was quiet at 15c, net receipts 203 bales; gross receipts 1,367 bales; stock 101,992 bales.

Spot cotton closed quiet and 10 points higher; middling uplands 15.00c; middling gulf 15.25c; sales 1,237 bales.

Cotton futures market closed steady: April 14.64, May 14.76, June 14.93, July 15.01, August 14.45, September 12.81, October 12.11, November 11.97, December 11.92, January 11.94.

Total to-day, at all seaports—Net receipts 6,269 bales; exports to Great Britain 16,313 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 6,100 bales; exports to Japan — bales; exports to Mexico — bales; stock 489,032 bales.

Consolidated, at all seaports—Net receipts 39,756 bales; exports to Great Britain 32,509 bales; exports to France — bales; exports to the Continent 19,240 bales; exports to Japan 350 bales; exports to Mexico — bales.

Total since September 1st, at all seaports—Net receipts 6,748,423 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,111,671 bales; exports to France 661,704 bales; exports to the Continent 2,355,799 bales; exports to Japan 39,371 bales; exports to Mexico 25,471 bales.

April 8.—Galveston, quiet at 15c, net receipts 2,794 bales; Norfolk, nominal at —, net receipts 500 bales; Baltimore, nominal at 15c, net receipts 627 bales; Boston, dull at 14 90c, net receipts 105 bales; Wilmington, nominal at —, net receipts 9 bales; Philadelphia, quiet at 15 25, net receipts 22 bales; Savannah, steady at 14¼c, net receipts 318 bales; New Orleans, steady at 14 15-16, net receipts 1,637 bales; Mobile, quiet at 14¾c, net receipts 7 bales; Memphis, quiet at 14¾c, net receipts 518 bales; Augusta, firm at 15c, net receipts 76 bales; Charleston, firm at 14¾c, net receipts — bales.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Flour was dull but steadily held. Rye flour dull. Wheat—Spot firm; No. 2 red $1 06, nominal. Options hesitated at first but later turned strong on bullish weather news and large buying orders. The close was very firm at ¾@1c net advance: May closed 96¼c; July closed 93⅞c; September closed 85¼c. Corn—Spot easy; No. 2 nominal. Options market opened firmer on bad weather west and was generally well sustained, closing ¼@½c net higher: May closed 57c; July closed 55⅝c. Oats—Spot steady; No. 2 46c. Options dull and nominal. Lard steady; refined steady. Pork dull. Molasses firm. Sugar—Raw steady; fair refining 3 5 32c; centrifugal, 96 test, 3⅝@3 21-32c; molasses sugar 2 29-32; refined quiet. Rice quiet. Butter easy; extra fresh creamery 23c; State dairy 15@20c. Cheese quiet; State, full cream fancy, small colored, September 13; late made 10¾; small white, September 13; late made 10¾. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania nearby average finest 18c; Southern firsts 17. Peanuts steady; fancy hand-picked 5¼c; other domestic 3¼@5½c. Potatoes firm; Long Island $4 00@4 25; Jerseys $3 50@4 00; Jersey sweets $2 50@4 50; State and Western sacks $3 25@3 50. Cabbages firm; Florida, per barrel crate, $3 50@3 75. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 10c. Further weakness was shown in cotton seed oil to day in the view of dullness in provisions and the market was considerably lower. Prime crude, f. o. b. mills, 37@37½c; prime summer yellow 33½c; off summer yellow nominal; prime white 36½c; prime winter yellow 37c.

CHICAGO, April 8.—Cash prices: Flour dull, barely steady. Wheat—No. 2 spring 90@98c; No. 3 spring 85@95c; No. 2 red 97¾c@$1 00¼. Corn—No. 2 53¾@53¼c; No. 2 yellow 53¾c. Oats—No. 2 39¼@39½c; No. 2 white —c; No. 3 white 40@42½c. Rye—No. 2, 69c. Mess pork, per bbl., $12 95@12 80. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 67½@6 70. Short rib sides, loose, $6 50@6 62½. Dry salted shoulders, boxed, no report. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 00@7 50. Whiskey—Basis of high wines, $1 38.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 May 94¼, 95¼, 94¼, 95¼; July, old, 88¾, 89¼, 87¾, 89¼c; do., new, 87½, 88¼, 86¼@86¾, 87¾@87½c; September, old, 83, 83, 81½, 82¾c; do., new, 80¾, 82, 80¼, 81¾@81½c. Corn—No. 2 May 53¼, 54¼, 53¼, 53¼c; July 51¼, 52½, 51¼, 51¼@51½c; September 50¼, 50¼@50¾@50¾, 50¾, 50¼c. Oats—No. 2 May 39, 39½, 38¾, 39¼@39¾c; July 37¼, 38½, 37¼, 38¾c; September 32¼, 32¾, 32¼, 32½c. Mess pork, per bbl—May $12 65, 12 85, 12 65, 12 80; July $12 80, 12 97½, 12 80, 12 97½. Lard, per 100 lbs—May $6 62¼, 6 75, 6 62¼, 6 75; July $6 80, 6 92½, 6 80, 6 92½. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—May $6 60, 6 70, 6 60, 6 70; July $6 77½, 6 85, 6 77½, 6 85.

NEW YORK COFFEE FUTURES.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Coffee—Spot Rio firm; No. 7 invoice 6¾c; mild steady; Cordova 10@13c. The market for coffee futures opened steady at unchanged prices, near the close a partial advance of 5 points was lost under heavy offerings. The market closed steady at unchanged prices to a decline of 5 points, with sales of 31,700 bags.

— The Parker band wagon is rolling along with the S. R. O. sign prominently displayed. — Memphis News, Dem.

Ordinary Street Gossip.

"Yes, Cheney's Expectorant is, without exception, the best cough medicine I ever tried." This is the extract of a conversation I overheard. Needless to say I hastily tried it for myself and gladly verify the above.

S. T. POWERS.

Millville, Ind.

For sale by J. C. Shepard.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

C. C. Railroad—1 bale cotton, 37 barrels tar, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

W. & W. Railroad—4 barrels tar, 6 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—8 bales cotton, 2 casks spirits turpentine, 5 barrels rosin, 13 barrels tar, 10 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—3 casks spirits turpentine, 4 barrels rosin, 11 barrels tar.

W. & N. Railroad—1 cask spirits turpentine, 10 barrels rosin, 3 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Tar Heel—89 barrels tar, 4 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer City of Fayetteville—5 barrels crude turpentine.

Alice—1 barrel tar.

Total—9 bales cotton, 6 casks spirits turpentine, 19 barrels rosin, 154 barrels tar, 38 barrels crude turpentine.

A Thoughtful Man.

M. M. Austin, of Winchester, Ind., knew what to do in the hour of need. His wife had such an unusual case of stomach and liver trouble the physicians could not help her. He thought of and tried Dr. King's New Life Pills and she got relief at once and was finally cured. Only 25c, at R. R. BELLAMY'S drug store. †

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mar 16 tf

LAST CALL

FOR 1903 CITY TAXES

Advertisement list for 1903 (sale of land for taxes) is now being prepared and unless taxes due are paid at once, it will become my duty to levy on Personal Property. Real estate will be advertised and costs added to the tax.

B. F. KING,
Tax Collector.

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Hardin's Infallible RHEUMATIC CURE

The greatest remedy on earth for Rheumatism. A cure that cures. Price 50c.

HARDIN'S

Palace Pharmacy,

126 South Front Street.

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Notice of Trustee's Sale.

Notice is hereby given that in pursuance and by virtue of an order of Thos. J. Purnell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina, the undersigned Trustee in Bankruptcy of Flynn & Company will on the 15th day of April, 1904, at 12 o'clock noon, at the front door of the United States Postoffice in Wilmington, N. C., sell to the highest bidder for cash the steam tug "F. & F." and five flats known as numbers 7, 9, 10, 11, and 18, and three lighters known as numbers 1, 14 and 17, respectively, belonging to the estate of Flynn & Co., bankrupts.

Dated April 7, 1904.

C. D. WEEKS,
Trustee in Bankruptcy of Flynn & Co.,
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NOTICE.

Is hereby given to all concerned that in accordance with instructions by the Board of Commissioners of Navigation and Pilotage, the execution of the law and resolution with reference to the mooring of rafts in the harbor of Wilmington is suspended until the 1st of May next, on and after which time no rafts will be allowed to moor or make fast to wharves on the East side of the river front from the Seaboard Air Line wharf to the foot of Church street.

E. D. WILLIAMS,
Harbor Master.

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A Delightful Pleasure.

Nothing pleases a man more than a good, clean shave. We give the cleanest shave obtainable, not only in point of keen razors, but as to real cleanliness. We use a clean towel for each man and everything else is thoroughly antiseptic.

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Climax Barber Shop,
7 South Front street.

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This is a Cremo Town

and so is every other town—you can buy the Cremo wherever cigars are sold

Largest Seller in the World

The Band is the Smoker's Protection.

Ask Your Dealer

HYGIENIC PINE MATTRESS
"NATURE'S VEGETABLE CURLED HAIR"
Possessing the Health Giving Properties of the Pine Tree
A Natural Protection against all Vermin
TRADE MARK REGISTERED

Look for this Label

Ask Your Dealer For Prices. If he does not handle them write

W. C. THOMAS & CO.,
Cronly, N. C.

Sole Manufacturers for this territory. no 28 tf

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

Wilmington Savings & Trust Co.,

At the close of business March 2 8, 1904

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$960,722 76	Capital stock paid in	$ 25,000.00
Banking house furniture and fixtures	2 00	Undivided profits less expenses and taxes paid	78,259 53
Other real estate owned	1,900 00	Individual deposits, subject to check	961,733 20
Due from banks and bankers	$144,725 73	Demand certificates subject to check	43,779 90
Cash and other cash items	803 88		1,007,513 13
Silver coin	304 50		
National bank notes and other U. S. notes	2,184 60		148,687 87
Total	$1,110,772 63	Total	$1,110,772 63

State of North Carolina, New Hanover county—ss.:

I, C. E. Taylor, Jr. Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief. C. E. TAYLOR, Cashier.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 4th day of April, 1904. W. M. Cumming, Notary Public. Correct Attest: N. B. Rankin, J. W. Grainger, C. W. Yates, directors. apr 8 tf

With some of the Prettiest Kinds of Easter Footwear.

Goods here and daily arriving for children and grown people. Do not wait till end of week to make selections, but come early. We will do our best to please every one who comes early or late.

DO GOOD IN TWO WAYS—First to yourself. By buying as good shoes at your Home Stores as you can in New York and elsewhere; saving transportation and other extras. And second: To your Home Merchant, by encouraging and enabling him to keep better, more complete and up-to date stocks

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Same old place. mar 30 tf

Cuban Blossom —AND— RENOWN CIGARS.

These Cigars are better than ever

"SILVER COIN"

FLOUR.

It is the BEST ever ground; guaranteed.

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A. C. L. Crossing.

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like the Spring flowers in new garb. With the beginning of the vernal season appear the handsome and novel things that the designers and manufacturers have produced

OUR EASTER DISPLAY

of shirts, neckwear, hosiery, handkerchiefs, and other things necessary for the proper dressing of the man of taste has never been surpassed. The stock of

MEN'S FURNISHINGS

is certainly most attractive and interesting.

J. W. H. FUCHS,

128 to 138 South Front St.

Phone 800. mar 26 tf

Summer Lap Robes.

Harness,

Harness and Trunks Repaired,

CITY LIVERY CO.

PHONE 15.

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SEVEN REASONS WHY

J. M. HALL & BRO.,

Pharmacists,

Deserve Your Patronage.

1st—They are druggists of long experience.

2nd—They are recognized by the State of North Carolina as such and have been duly licensed to practice pharmacy.

3rd—They own and operate a modern still; use pure distilled water in the preparation of all medicinal waters and syrups. In this they are pioneers in Wilmington.

4th—They use none but the purest drugs and chemicals in the compounding of prescriptions.

5th—They have a "compound bicycle delivery" and deliver any package or packages to any part of the city without extra charge.

6th—They are practically open all night. A registered druggist sleeps over the store and will answer night calls and attend them at regular day time prices.

Your prescriptions are always compounded by a registered druggist.

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Genuine Peruvian Guano.

Cargo Just Received.

Can fill your orders promptly for any quantity. Price remarkably low.

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INCORPORATED.

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GVE PENANROS.

Lovers of this dainty Fish can be supplied at

"Carpenter Grocery."

We cordially recommend and guarantee the "Swift" Hams and Bacon. Sweet Sugar Corn on the Cob. Your neighbor will tell you how prompt the delivery when you call 824. apr 6 tf

BROCK & KING

Electrical Contractors, office and store room, Old Court House building, 'phone 901. We are prepared to do all kinds of Electrical Work promptly. We install isolated plants of all kinds. Armature Winding a specialty. We do all kinds wiring for electric lights, call bells, telephone and annunciators. We do plain, open or concealed, such as moulding, tubing or conduit wiring. It will pay those who have work in our line to see us before letting the contract to others. apr 5 1m

CASTORIA

The Kind You Have Always Bought, and which has been in use for over 30 years, has borne the signature of Chas. H. Fletcher and has been made under his personal supervision since its infancy. Allow no one to deceive you in this. All Counterfeits, Imitations and "Just-as-good" are but Experiments that trifle with and endanger the health of Infants and Children—Experience against Experiment.

What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is Pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. It cures Diarrhœa and Wind Colic. It relieves Teething Troubles, cures Constipation and Flatulency. It assimilates the Food, regulates the Stomach and Bowels, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

GENUINE **CASTORIA** ALWAYS

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In Dress Goods.

Women who would be charmingly dressed should see A. D. Brown's Dress Fabrics.

Imported Lawns, zeoleans in handsome shades.

Champagne, colored goods in Silk and Linen. New shades of Spring and Summer Silks and Voiles.

Rich and effective trimmings to match and suit the most fastidious.

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Fancy colored Madras for Shirt Waists Suits.

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Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods.

Our New White Goods are beyond description. Table Linens are beautiful.

New Laces in White Arabian shades. Persian Trimmings in Chiffon

New Art Squares, Rugs, Carpets, Mattings and Window Shades.

All kinds of house furnishing goods.

Muslin Underwear and Vests.

The American Lady Corset and Her Majesty,

Riker's Perfumes and Fancy Soaps.

THE NEWEST, THE BEST, THE CHEAPEST.

A. D. BROWN,

feb 27 tf 29 North Front Street.

A CARD

To the Ladies! Extending to you all a cordial invitation to inspect our new line of Pattern Hats. The demand for our Hats was so great that we have been compelled to re-order and will have an entirely new and exclusive line of Pattern Hats ready for your inspection on next Wednesday, the 30th. While in our store don't fail to notice our Dress Goods Department. All are cordially invited to

TAYLOR'S BAZAAR,

The Leading Millinery House.

mar 27 tf 118 Market Street.

SO SAY THEY ALL

Say What!

That James A. Banister's Shoes and Oxfords

have more style and snap and give more general satisfaction than any $5 and $6 Shoes sold in our city.

Come see them.

Geo. R. French & Sons.

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STATEMENT OF THE

Atlantic Trust and Banking Co.

At close of business March 23th, 1904, (condensed from report to Corporation Commission. (Began business Sept., 1902.)

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$435,834 45	Capital	$ 50,000 00
Cash on hand and due from banks	21,403 76	Profits less expenses and taxes paid	12,404 47
Furniture and Fixtures	100 00	Deposits	384,933 74
	$447,338 21		$447,338 2

MATT J. HEYER, President. B. H. J. AHRENS, Vice Presiden

MITCHELL F. ALLEN, Cashier.

DIRECTORS:

L. B. Rogers, B. Solomon, B. H. J. Ahrens, R. R. Bellamy, Martin O'Brien, I. M. Bear, John H. Kuck, D. McEachern, C. W. Yates, J. G. L. Gieschen, Matt J. Heyer. apr 3 tf

STATEMENT OF

Atlantic National Bank,

Wilmington, N. C.,

RESOURCES.		LIABILITIES.	
Loans and discounts	$1,024,372 96	Capital	$125,000 0
Bonds at par	295,800 00	Surplus, etc	202,819 0
Real Estate	30,000 00	Circulation	125,000 0
Cash in vault	$3,700 60	Deposits	1,200,570 2
In other banks	221,515 79—225,216 39		
Total	$1,653,389 34	Total	$1,653,389 3

This Bank pays no interest on any form of deposit. ap 3 tf

FERTILIZERS

VIRGINIA-CAROLINA CHEMICAL CO.

N.C. SALES DIV. DURHAM, N.C.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Capt. John McGee has been elected chief of police of Salem.

— The Bulletin of the State Board of Health reports 300 cases of smallpox in Robeson county and 30 cases in Durham.

— On Tuesday at Winston the city authorities awarded contracts for $13,000 for waterworks equipments, including the erection of a 300,000 gallon standpipe, three boilers of 120 horse-power each, pumps of 2,000,000 gallons capacity, etc.

— Mr. Malverne Tillet, son of Prof. and Mrs. Isaac Tillett, of Elizabeth City, has just received the appointment of confidential lawyer and counsellor of Reginald Vanderbilt, of New York and Newport.—Elizabeth City Tar Heel.

— Greenville Reflector: These accounts we see in some of the papers of Easter balls, Easter dances, Easter card parties and such look very much like sacrilege. They are not proper things to be associating with the resurrection of Christ.

— By order of Dr. Lewis, chairman of the State Board of Health, Jerusalem township, Davie county, has been quarantined and every one who has been in that township within the past three weeks is forbidden to attend court at Mocksville this week.

—Mount Olive Tribune. Mr. S. A. Bird returned on Tuesday from a survey of the proposed railroad from Goldsboro to Seven Springs. Both sides of the Neuse river between the two above named places were surveyed in order to select the best route for the road.

— In accordance with a decree at Fayetteville, the Marsh-Highsmith Sanatarium has been sold at auction by Commissioners Broadfoot and Rowe to the highest bidder, and bought in by Dr. G. F. Highsmith, one of the proprietors, for $29,000. The people are delighted that Dr. Highmith has secured the institution.

— Durham Sun: The national irrigation bureau fund now aggregates $30,000,000. A Department of irrigation should be immediately established, with a Minister of Irrigation in the Cabinet, twenty or thirty bureaus, and several thousand clerks to help spend the money. Trusts might be allowed to tap it in return for assistance in time of need.

— Durham Sun: This new rifle club business in every city, town, village and Hamlet in the land, starts some interesting questions. Will laboring men's rifle clubs be permitted to have arms free from the government? Will negro rifle clubs be furnished with arms? Where will the President draw the line? No favors, if you please, on account of color, occupation or mutual benefit organization.

— Greenaboro Telegram, April 7: V. E. McBee and K. S. Finch, who have been indicted and are to be tried on the charge of conspiring to injure the State's property, were in Greensboro a short while last night. They came in on the train from Raleigh and left on one of the southbound trains. Captain McBee told a friend that he and Finch would certainly come out on top in the controversy now being conducted.

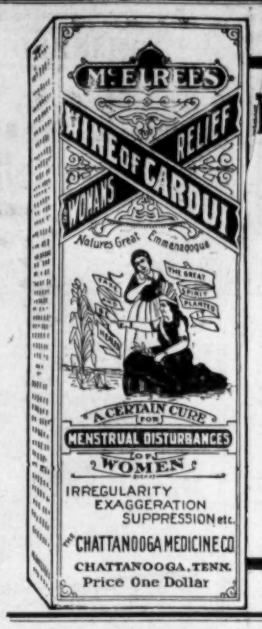
—At Elizabeth City on Wednesnesda, Claude Duke Carter, the 3-year-old son of W. K. Carter, swallowed a nail about an inch and a quarter long while engaged in play with several other children at his home. Dr. W. J. Lumsden was hurriedly called and everything was done to relieve the little sufferer, and they finally succeeded in putting him to sleep. It is thought that an operation will have to be performed.

— Durham Herald, April 7th: On Saturday morning Mr. R. H. Wright will sail from New York on the fast liner of the Cunard line, for a visit to Liverpool and other foreign ports. During Mr. Wright's trip he will visit a number of European cities and will also visit Algeria, in Northern Africa. He goes abroad on purely a business trip and will return to this city in about six weeks. This trip will make the sixty-sixth time that Mr. Wright has crossed the ocean.

—In Washington on Wednesday Senator Overman, who has declined for more than a year to commit himself to any of the candidates mentioned in connection with the Democratic presidential nomination, declared that Judge Parker will in all probability be the party nominee. The junior senator has been favorably inclined to Parker, but he never went further than to express the hope that the nominee would be a safe, conservative man, upon whom all Democrats could agree. Senator Overman said: "It looks as though Judge Parker will secure the nomination at St. Louis. Everybody is apparently for him. The declaration of Ex-President Cleveland in his favor has attracted no little attention, and it was stated at the capitol to-day that Mr. Bryan will soon declare himself in favor of the New York judge. If we go to St. Louis with that sort of support for our nominee, we will be invincible in this contest and Mr. Roosevelt will be retired to private life."

Robbed the Grave.

A startling incident is narrated by John Oliver, of Philadelphia, as follows: "I was in an awful condition. My skin was almost yellow, eyes sunken, tongue coated, pain continually in the back and sides, no appetite, and growing weaker day by day. Three physicians had given me up. Then I was advised to use Electric Bitters, and to my great joy the first bottle made a decided improvement. I continued their use for three weeks, and am now a well man. I know they robbed the grave of another victim." No one should fail to try them. Only 50c, guaranteed, at R. R. Bellamy's drug store.



THE BEST MEDICINE FOR WOMEN

Women have confidence in Wine of Cardui because they know it is the best medicine in the world or the troubles peculiar to their sex.

Women are grateful to Wine of Cardui because it frees them from menstrual disorders—beause it is a certain cure for bearing down pains, leucorrhoea, the distress of childbirth and the dangers which lurk in the change of life.

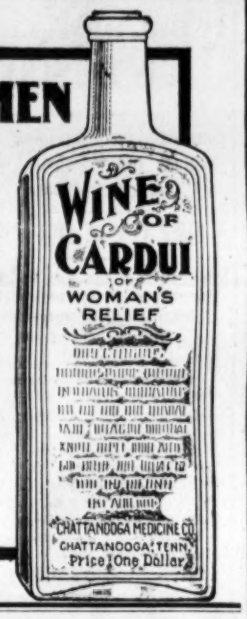
Women love Wine of Cardui because it brings children to barren homes.

WINE OF CARDUI

Wine of Cardui is a mild medicine—so mild that a child can take it without any possible harm. Be it is a powerful tonic, freeing women from pain when all other remedies fail. It regulates th menstrual function so naturally that there is no pain. Opiates and drastic medicines kill the pat temporarily by killing the nerves, but Wine of Cardui destroys the pain by building up the neres and preventing a return of the pain in an aggravated form.

Wine of Cardui so builds up women that it makes them fit for any duty. Over 1,500,000 women have been cured of female weakness and suffering and have been restored to health and the enjoyment of life by Wine of Cardui. Will you take the same treatment and secure the same relief? A trial of the treatment will show you what Wine of Cardui will do. Go to your druggist tday and secure a $1.00 bottle of Wine of Cardui. You can have health.

Wine of Cardui has been a blessing to my home. I have found that it is a great relief.
MRS. LIZZIE H. THOMPSON, 185 West 88th St., New York City, N. Y.



— Statesville Landmark: The impression has prevailed for generations that a note dated on Sunday, or other legal contracts made on Sunday, are void under the law. But the North Carolina Supreme Court has decided to the contrary in the case of Rodman vs. Robinson, from Pender. This involved a contract made for the sale of land on Sunday. Chief Justice Clark writes the opinion of the Supreme Court. He says the North Carolina statutory law prohibits any labor, work or business on Sunday in one's "ordinary calling," and if a deed or other contract made on Sunday is not in pursuance of one's ordinary calling, then such contract is not in violation of the statute and is valid.

A Great Sensation.

There was a big sensation in Leesville, Ind., when W. H. Brown, of that place, who was expected to die, had his life saved by Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption. He writes: "I endured insufferable agonies from asthma, but your New Discovery gave me immediate relief, and soon thereafter effected a complete cure." Similar cures of Consumption, Pneumonia, Bronchitis and Grip are numerous. It's the peerless remedy for all Throat and Lung troubles. Price 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed by R. R. BELLAMY, druggist. Trial bottles free.

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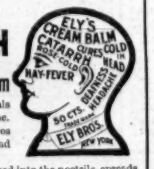
In all its stages.

Ely's Cream Balm



cleanses, soothes and heals the diseased membrane. It cures catarrh and drives away a cold in the head quickly.

Cream Balm is placed into the nostrils, spreads over the membrane and is absorbed. Relief is immediate and a cure follows. It is not drying—does not produce sneezing. Large Size, 50 cents at Druggists or by mail; Trial Size, 10 cents.

ELY BROTHERS, 56 Warren Street, New York

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Dr. Biggers' Huckleberry Cordial

The Great Southern Remedy.

Cures all Stomach and Bowel Troubles, such as Chronic Dysentery, Cholera Morbus, Bloody Flux, and also children teething. It seldom fails to make quick and permanent cures of all stomach and bowel diseases. See testimonial of the late

HENRY W. GRADY.

Dr. Walter A. Taylor, Atlanta, Ga.

Dear Sir: This is the first certificate that I have ever given as to the merits of any medicine, but I take pleasure in recommending Dr. Biggers' Huckleberry Cordial. I consider it the best remedy that I have ever used in my family for Stomach and Bowel Troubles. 50c invested in a bottle of this medicine to be used in the beginning of any stomach trouble will often save life as well as a large doctor's bill. I have a friend whose life was, in my opinion, saved by the prompt use of Dr. Biggers' Huckleberry Cordial. For sale by all Druggists, 25 and 50c per bottle.

(Signed) HENRY W. GRADY.

Atlanta, Ga., May 23, 1887.

Haltiwanger-Taylor Drug Co., Prop., Atlanta, Ga.

Taylor's Cherokee Remedy of Sweet Gum and Mullein will cure Coughs, Croup and Consumption. Price 25c and $1 a bottle.

A WOMAN TO BE PRETTY

Must Have Luxuriant and Glossy Hair, No Matter What Color.

The finest contour of a female face, the sweetest smile of a female mouth, loses something if the head is crowned with scant hair. Scant and falling hair, it is now known, is caused by a parasite that burrows into the scalp to the root of the hair, where it saps the vitality. The little white scales the germ throws up in burrowing are called dandruff. To cure dandruff permanently, then, and to stop falling hair, that germ must be killed. Newbro's Herpicide, an entirely new result of the chemical laboratory, destroys the dandruff germ, and, of course, stops the falling hair, and prevents baldness. Sold by leading druggists. Send 10c. in stamps for sample to The Herpicide Co., Detroit, Mich.

HARDIN'S PHARMACY, Special Agent.

MEN AND WOMEN.

Use Big G for unnatural discharges, inflammations, irritations or ulcerations of mucous membranes. Painless, and not astringent or poisonous.

Sold by Druggists, or sent in plain wrapper, by express, prepaid, for $1.00, or 3 bottles $2.75. Circular sent on request.

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CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH

PENNYROYAL PILLS

Original and Only Genuine.

SAFE. Always reliable. Ladies, ask Druggist for CHICHESTER'S ENGLISH in RED and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with blue ribbon. Take no other. Refuse Dangerous Substitutions and Imitations. Buy of your Druggist, or send 4c. in stamps for Particulars, Testimonials and "Relief for Ladies," in letter, by return Mail. 10,000 Testimonials. Sold by all Druggists. Chichester Chemical Co.

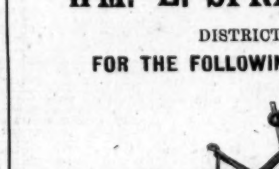
Dr. PIERCE'S FAVORITE PRESCRIPTION FOR WEAK WOMEN.

CASTORIA.

Bears the Signature of Chas. H. Fletcher. The Kind You Have Always Bought

Easter Hats.

We had a very successful opening, a large crowd every day. We feel very fortunate to get the most competent milliner, Miss Ijams, again this season. She can do anything that can be done to a Hat from the best down and never failed to please a customer. If you have her trim your Hat you will never have any one else trim for you. Our Tuscan Hats at 69c is the sane you buy elsewhere at 98c to $1.50. We received to-day a big lot of fine Broadcloth, Brilliantean, Worsted and Fancy Skirts. On Wednesday next we will get in a most beautiful line of Jap Silk Taffeta and Lawn Wasts for Easter. We have put in a line of Rugs and Lace Curtains. We are Agents for the Standard Sewing Machine



Also Agents for the Victor Talking Machine, it plays any piece, preaches a sermon, makes speeches, you can understand every word and hear it half mile. The price is $15 cash or $18 on installment plan, $2 down and 50c per week. Records $5 per dozen. Needles 55c per 1,000. Mail orders will be attended to promptly. Call at our store and hear it play and you will buy it, it is the best in the word. We also sell Millinery wholesale.

PARIS MILLINERY EMPORIUM,

129 Market St., Wilmington, N. C., Next to Bonitz Hotel.

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The C. W. Polvogt Co.,

THE STORE THAT'S ALWAYS BUSY,

Special Silk Sale.

36-inch warranted Taffetta Silk, in black only, our regular $1.50 quality, Easter price, $1.20.

36-inch warranted Taffetta Silk, black only, our regular $1.25 quality, Easter price, $1.09.

85c all Silk Taffetta, in all shades, extra quality, Easter price, 69c.

39 dress patterns of Satin Foulard, extra quality, beautiful shades, no two alike, worth 85c a yard, Easter price, 69 yd.

65c White Silk Crepe, as pretty as a crepe de shene, Easter price, 50 cents per yard

10 pieces fancy Wash Silk, regular 50 cents values, our Easter price, only 35 cents.

Extra fine quality Jap. Silk Polka Dot, navy, white and black, worth 75 cents, special Easter price 50c per yard.

Fine quality white brocaded Jap. Silk 27-inches wide, 65c quality, special Easter price only 50c per yard.

Silk Foulards in white, pink and light blue, regular 75c values, special Easter price 65c per yard.

Fancy figured Crepe, white ground with pink, blue, and yellow flowers, special value 75c per yd, Easter price 65c.

23-inch black Peau-de-sole, $1 25 value, extra fine quality, Easter price only 98c per yard

White Polka Dot Silk Crepe 36 inches wide, beautiful goods regular 50c seller, special Easter price only 42c.

24-inch black waterproof China Silk, special Easter price only 50 cents per yard.

The C. W. Polvogt Co.

Sole agents for W. B. Corsets and Standard Patterns

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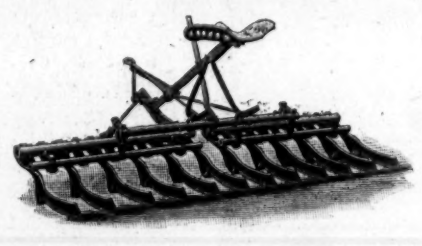
WM. E. SPRINGER & CO.,

DISTRICT AGENTS

FOR THE FOLLOWING FARM MACHINES



Acme Harrows, Cuttaway Harrows. Averys and Steel King, Polished Cast Steel Plows, Guano Distributors, Cotton Plows, Cotton Planters, Cotton Hoes. Buy Dixie Plows. All kiuds of Farming Implements.

Purcell Building, Wilmington, N. C.

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Nails and Hoop Iron.

One thousand kegs Wire Nails, 1,000 kegs Steel Cut Nails. We have a complete line of all sizes. Fifty thousand pounds Hoop Iron, 3,000 rolls Bagging, 750 bags Rice, 5,000 bundles Cotton Ties. Eight car loads No. 1 Timothy Hay, 50 carloads Salt, 375 barrels Sugar, 800 empty Fish Kegs, and a complete stock of other groceries. We pay spot cash for our purchases and we have unequalled facilities for handling the Grocery business. We meet any legitimate competition. Call and see us, or write us for prices.

D. L. GORE CO.,

Wholesale Grocers and Importers,

ap 3 tf 118 to 125 North Water St., Wilmington, N. C.

REPORT OF THE CONDITION OF

The Murchison National Bank,

At close of business March 18, 1904. (Began Business March 1st, 1899.)

RESOURCES:		LIABILITIES:	
Loans and Discounts	$1,073,727 43	Capital	$ 300,000 00
U. S. Bonds (at par)	350,000 00	Surplus and net profits	121,120 31
Bank Building	29,800 00	Circulation	222,350 00
Cash on hand and in Banks	510,449 42	Deposits	1,320,206 54
	$1,963,676 85		$1,963,676 85

Comparative statement of deposits,
March 28th, 1902, $921,574 02. March 28th, 1903, $1,141,553 39 March 28th, 1904, $1,320,206 54.

H. C. McQUEEN, President, J. V. GRAINGER, Cashier.

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State of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, } In the Superior Court. Before John D. Taylor, Clerk.

W. S. O'B. Robinson, Receiver of the First National Bank of Wilmington, N. C., to the use of E. K. Bryan, owner of the judgment.

vs.

H. M. Bowden.

To H. M. Bowden, the defendant above named: You will take notice that the plaintiff above named has made a motion before the undersigned, Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover County, North Carolina, for leave to issue execution upon the judgment taken against you by W. S. O'B. Robinson, Receiver of the First National Bank of Wilmington, N. C., the said judgment being No. 2964, which said judgment was duly taken and docketed on the judgment docket of the Superior Court of New Hanover county on the 18th day of April, A. D., 1893, and which said judgment remains partly unpaid, now therefore this is to command you to be and appear before the undersigned Clerk of the Superior Court of New Hanover county, at his office in the Court House in the city of Wilmington, N. C., on Monday, the 2nd day of May, A. D. 1904, at 10 o'clock A. M., then and there, to show cause, if any you have, why execution should not issue upon said judgment, and if you fail to appear judgment will be rendered against you in accordance with said motion; and this you will in nowise omit. This the 31st day of March, A. D. 1904. JOHN D. TAYLOR.

Clerk Superior Court New Hanover Co.

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Foreclosure Sale.

By virtue of the power of sale contained in a certain mortgage made by E. W. Pace to Charles C. Jones and duly registered in Book 35, page 600 and 601 of the records of New Hanover County, the undersigned will sell to the highest bidder at public auction Monday the 25th day of April, 1904, at 12 o'clock M., for cash on the premises No. 114 North Front street in the city of Wilmington, N. C., known as the Planter Store, all the following property conveyed by said mortgage, to wit: 1st: Five pool tables located in what is known as The Pool Room, being Numbers 21895, 24000, 2041, and two Narragansett tables manufactured by the Brunswick-Balke Collender Company, together with all cloths, racks, balls, cues and other paraphernalia, and appurtenances thereto belonging. Three dozen pool chairs, four Kitson lamps and connection, one cash register and carpets.

2nd: All the bar fixtures contained in the bar room on said premises, consisting of one back bar sideboard and counter, partitions and plumbing, beer pumps, matting, tables and chairs, one show case, two cabinets, and one cash register.

3rd: On the second floor, one set of dining and table chairs.

The purchaser is expected to remove the property at his own expense, unless otherwise agreed upon at the time of sale.

The first two tables, Nos. 21895 and 24000, being subject to a mortgage in favor of the Brunswick-Balke Collender Company for about $175.00.

This 28th day of March, 1904.

By CHARLES C. JONES, Mortgagee.

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10.00 A. M.	11.17 A. M.	11.00 A. M.
3.00 P. M.	5.15 P. M.	5.00 P. M.
†6.10 P. M.	7.00 P. M.	.....
10.00 P. M.	10.30 P. M.	Saturday only

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Freight will be received at Ninth and Orange streets depot from 9:00 to 10:00 A. M. daily except Sunday. No freight will be carried on passenger cars. feb 24 tf

Seaboard

Air Line Railroad.

Schedule in Effect Jan. 10, 1904.

TRAIN 39 — Leaves Wilmington 3:10 p. m, arrive Lumberton 5:35 p. m., Pembroke 6:00 p m, Maxton 6:45 p m, Hamlet 7:35 p m. arrive Charlotte 10:45 p m.

TRAIN 15 — Leaves Wilmington 9:00 p m, arrives Lumberton 9:15 a m, Pembroke 9:55 a m, Maxton 4:06 a m, Hamlet 6:00 a m.

TRAIN 40 — Leaves Charlotte 5:01 a m, Hamlet 8:40 a m, arrives Maxton 9:25 a m, Pembroke 10:00 a m, Lumberton 10:27 a m, Wilmington 12:45 p m.

TRAIN 14 — Leaves Hamlet 10:45 p m, arrives Maxton 12:25 a m, Pembroke 1:05 a m, Lumberton 2:15 a m, Wilmington 7:00 a m.

WESTBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Hamlet	7 35 a m	10 15 p m
Ar Monroe	9 10 a m	11 55 a m
Ar Charlotte	10 05 a m	.....
Ar Chester	10 30 a m	1 10 a m
Ar Greenwood	12 53 p m	3 31 a m
Ar Athens	2 50 p m	5 55 a m
Ar Atlanta	8 55 p m	7 30 a m

SOUTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	7 15 a m	10 10 p m
Ar Columbia	10 30 a m	1 00 a m
Ar Savannah	2 00 p m	4 45 a m
Ar Jacksonville	7 00 p m	9 00 a m
Ar Tampa	6 15 p m	6 25 p m

NORTHBOUND FROM HAMLET.

Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	8 50 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 15 a m	11 30 a m
Ar Norlina	3 23 a m	1 30 p m
Ar Portsmouth	7 50 a m	5 30 p m
Ar Norfolk		
Lv Hamlet	10 30 p m	7 30 a m
Ar Raleigh	1 15 a m	10 55 a m
Ar Norlina	3 23 a m	1 30 p m
Ar Richmond	6 10 a m	4 55 p m
Ar Washington	9 50 a m	8 05 p m
Ar Baltimore	11 32 p m	11 05 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m	5 00 p m

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Lv Jersey City	1 15 p m
Ar Philadelphia	3 25 p m
Lv Baltimore	5 45 p m
Lv Washington	7 00 p m
Lv Richmond	10 25 p m
Ar Raleigh (Johnson St)	2 10 a m
Ar Southern Pines	3 54 a m
Lv Hamlet	4 50 a m
Ar Camden	6 35 a m
Ar Columbia (E. T.)	7 94 a m
Lv Columbia (C. T.)	8 30 a m
Ar Savannah	9 45 a m
Ar Thalmann	11 24 a m
Ar Jacksonville	1 30 p m
Lv Jacksonville	1 30 p m
Ar St. Augustine	2 30 p m

NORTHBOUND.

Lv St. Augustine	12 10 p m
Ar Jacksonville	1 10 p m
Lv Jacksonville	4 00 p m
Lv Thalmann	3 07 P M
Lv Savannah	5 00 p m
Ar Columbia (C. T.)	9 30 p m
Ar Columbia (E. T.)	9 35 p m
Lv Camden	10 14 p m
Ar Hamlet	11 55 p m
Ar Southern Pines	12 45 p m
Lv Raleigh	2 40 a m
Ar Richmond	6 45 a m
Ar Washington	10 10 a m
Ar Baltimore	11 32 a m
Ar Philadelphia	1 45 p m
Ar Jersey City	3 55 p m
Ar New York	4 15 p m

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Schedule in Effect Jan 10, 1904.

NORTHBOUND.

	No 48	No 42
Lv Wilmington	9 30 a m	6 50 p m
Ar Goldsboro	12 21 p m	9 32 p m
Ar Wilson	1 16 p m	10 25 p m
Ar Rocky Mount	1 55 p m	11 10 p m
Ar Norfolk	5 55 p m	.....
Ar Weldon	4 58 p m	1 43 a m
Ar Petersburg	6 55 p m	3 23 a m
Ar Richmond	7 45 p m	4 07 a m
Ar Washington	11 50 p m	7 54 a m
Ar Baltimore	1 A M	9 10 a m
Ar Philadelphia	4 25 a m	11 22 a m
Ar New York	7 30 a m	2 00 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	No 41	No 49
Lv New York	9 25 a m	9 25 p m
Ar Philadelphia	11 55 a m	12 01 a m
Ar Baltimore	2 07 p m	2 32 a m
Ar Washington	3 21 p m	3 45 a m
Ar Norfolk		9 00 a m
Ar Richmond	7 15 p m	8 38 a m
Ar Petersburg	8 06 p m	9 45 a m
Ar Weldon	9 51 p m	11 15 a m
Ar Rocky Mount	10 51 p m	1 10 p m
Ar Wilson	11 32 p m	2 00 p m
Ar Goldsboro	6 48 a m	3 10 p m
Ar Wilmington	10 10 a m	6 00 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND THE SOUTH.

SOUTHBOUND

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily.	Daily.
Lv Wilmington	6 00 a m	2 20 p m	6 50 p m
Ar Florence	9 25 a m	7 30 p m	9 55 a m
Ar Charleston	1 10 p m	11 25 p m	6 45 a m
Ar Savannah	6 45 p m	2 50 a m	9 45 a m
Ar Jacksonville		6 40 a m	1 45 p m
Ar Tampa		7 25 p m	10 25 p m

SOUTHBOUND.

	Daily Ex. Sunday.	Daily
Lv Tampa	8 05 p m	9 30 a m
Ar Jacksonville	8 00 a m	7 00 p m
Ar Savannah	1 10 p m	1 15 a m
Ar Charleston	5 14 p m	5 55 a m
Ar Florence	7 59 p m	9 25 a m
Ar Wilmington	11 45 p m	1 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND SANFORD

	West Bound Daily	East Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	9 10 a m	Ar 6 00 p m
Ar Fayetteville	12 15 p m	Ar 4 55 p m
Ar Sanford	1 55 p m	Lv 3 40 p m

BETWEEN WILMINGTON AND NEWBERN

	North Bound Daily ex Sunday	South Bound Daily
Lv Wilmington	2 35 p m	Ar 12 36 p m
Ar Newbern	5 40 p m	Lv 9 00 a m

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WILMINGTON, N. C.

SATURDAY MORNING. APRIL 9.

FOUR MEN LOST THEIR LIVES.

Explosion in a Gas Compressing Plant at Washington, D. C.—Several Other Persons Were Injured.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Four men lost their lives in an explosion to-day at the Pintsch Gas Compressing Company's plant in Southwest Washington. The dead: Stephen Henson, Charles W. Grigsby; Joseph Cumberland and an unknown negro.

Henson, Cumberland and the negro were instantly killed. Grigsby was seriously burned and died at the hospital. His injuries were the result of an heroic attempt to rescue his comrades. He rushed into the engine room and catching the arm of Cumberland, who was buried in the debris, tried to drag him out. The flames rapidly enveloped Grigsby, but he released his hold on Cumberland only after the arrival of the firemen. He told the hospital physicians that the disaster was caused by the gas becoming too high and the inability of the men to find the leak. "The room," he said "must have been full, the gas kept rising and the roof was blown off." The explosion caused $2,000 damage to the building, covered by the insurance. Cumberland, Henson, Grigsby and Warren Hortsum, an employe who was blown a distance and stunned, but quietly recovered, had been on duty all night.

The machines in the building were badly damaged and the south wall of the second story was blown out. The plant supplied light for many of the railway cars entering the city.

DR. BASKERVILLE'S DISCOVERY.

Announced Before the Chemists' Club in New York City.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, April 8.—Charles Baskerville, professor of chemistry and director of the laboratory in the University of North Carolina, announced to-night before the Chemists' Club in this city, his discovery that thorium, hitherto known as one of the seventy primary elements, is complex in its nature.

Dr. Baskerville has resolved thorium into two new elements. He has named one of these Carolinium, after the State, and the other Berhelium, in honor of the great Swedish chemist who nearly a hundred years ago discovered thorium. It has never before been the good fortune of an American chemist to discover a chemical element. Dr. Baskerville's discovery of two new elements is the result of ten years of persistent labor.

MARINE DISASTERS.

British Steamer Ashore Near Virginia Beach--Schooner Near Atlantic City.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, April 8.—The fishing schooner Arrival, from Cape Henry for New York, is ashore near Brigantine Shoals, about five miles north of Atlantic City, N. J. All of the crew have been landed. The schooner is full of water and will probably be a total loss.

CAPE HENRY, April 8.—The British steamship Rosewood, Capt. McGregor, lumber laden, from Gulfport for Rotterdam, via Lumberti's Point, grounded during a dense fog to-day about two miles north of Virginia Beach. The crew are safe on board the lifesaver's ship. The Rosewood is lying easy and the chances are good for floating her.

COLLEGE BASEBALL.

Report of Games Played Yesterday at Various Places.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Raleigh—Cornell, 3; University of North Carolina, 2.

Atlanta—Georgia Techs, 8; University of Alabama, 4.

Lake City, Fla.—University of Florida, 4; Stetson University, 1.

Columbia—Columbia South Atlantic, 8; South Carolina University, 2.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT.

For the Week Ending Friday, April 8th, 1904.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, April 8.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending April 8th, 1904:

	1904.	1903.
Net receipts at all U. S. ports during the week ...	39,756	61,884
Total receipts to this date	6,748,427	7,151,277
Exports for week..	49,999	94,767
Total exports to date	5,198,916	5,944,967
Stock in all U. S. ports.	489,033	330,389
Stock at all interior towns.....	243,887	189,891
Stock in Liverpool,	——	690,000
American afloat for Great Britain ...	——	19,800

TOTAL NET RECEIPTS OF COTTON.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, April 8.—The following are the total net receipts of cotton at all ports since September 1st, 1903:

Galveston, 2,270,060; New Orleans, 1,840,077; Mobile, 190,714; Savannah, 1,086,584; Charleston, 150,887; Wilmington, 320,206; Norfolk, 446,120; Baltimore, 25,842; New York, 36,519; Boston, 23,158; Newport News, 12,998; Philadelphia, 12,282; Brunswick, 92,786; Fernandina, 1,050; Pensacola, 112,784; Port Arthur, 55,466; Port Townsend, 26,917; San Francisco, 12,354; Portland, Ore., 1,060; El Paso, 1,100; Eagle Pass, 12,636; Laredo, 18,387. Total, 6,748,427.

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POSTAL MATTERS IN THE SENATE.

Contracts for Cancelling Machines the Principal Subject of the Debate.

A BUSY DAY IN THE HOUSE.

Large Number of Bills Passed—Tilt Between Livernash and Bartlett—The Negro Question Discussed—Philippine Shipping Bill.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The contracts for cancelling machines used by the Postoffice Department, constituted the principal question of debate in the Senate to-day in connection with the Oostoffice appropriation bill. The subject was sprung by Mr. Culberson, who introduced an amendment reducing the rental of the machines.

In the course of the debate that followed the Democratic senators charged that the rental now paid was the same that was paid under the contracts made by George W. Beavers, when he was chief of the salary and allowance division of the Postoffice Deparitment and that they were excessive. Mr. Lodge denied this charge, saying that there was no proof of its truth.

Mr. Clay supported the amendment, quoting from Mr. Bristow's report in which the Beavers contract for the machines was denounced and saying that notwithstanding this denunciation the contracts were continued. "Mr. Bristow," said Mr. Clay, "tells us that we pay 300 per cent. on these machines each year and I see no reason for continuing the Beaver arrangement."

"Unless they want to vindicate him," said Mr. Culberson.

Mr. Scott expressed the opinion that it was not right to attempt to deprive patentees of their rights under the law.

Mr. Clay said that the cost of keeping in repair $50 machines was about $12.50 per year, while the rental was $150 each year.

Mr. Scott replied that the fourth assistant postmaster general had just telephoned to the Senate that $300 was the cost of keeping in repair the machine on which a rental of $400 was paid.

"I don't care what is 'phoned," responded Mr. Clay. "There is not a word of testimony to that effect." He suggested that the machines should be bought.

Mr. Lodge replied that some of the machines could not be bought and said that to fail to use them would very materially increase the expense for clerk hire.

The amendment was lost.

An amendment offered by Mr. Hoar, repealing existing laws requiring postmasters to reside in their own delivery districts, aroused opposition on the part of Messrs. Money and Culberson. Mr. Money said that the statue should be restricted rather than extended, and he said in his State postmasters were carpet-baggers brought from one part of the State to the other. He added that he had no desire to take from the Republicans the privilege of appointing their own men to office, "because," he said, "every time you appoint a Democrat we lose a man and you gain one. I want the Republican authorities to make the Republican party as odious as possible in my State, and I may add that, as in the case of Bill Jones' epitaph, they have 'done their best, and angels could do no more.'"

The amendment was declared out of order, but was afterwards accepted in modified form so as to require postmasters to reside in the town or cities which they officially serve.

An amendment suggested by Mr. Simmons, prohibiting the postmaster general from refusing to establish rural free delivery routes on account of the condition of the roads also was accepted.

The Postoffice bill was still under consideration when the Senate adjourned.

House of Representatives.

The House to-day passed a large number of bills, principally among which was the Philippines shipping bill and the bill appropriating $475,000 in aid of the Lewis and Clark centennial exposition to be held in Portland, Ore., in 1905. The only amendment which was made to the Philippine shipping bill was one extending until July 1st, 1906, the time when the law shall become operative.

After Messrs. Bartlett, of Georgia, and Robinson, of Indiana, had made brief remarks in opposition to the Lewis and Clark bill, Mr. Livernash, of California, in favoring it, said it came with poor grace for Democrats who have been asking the House to appropriate with great liberality for the Southern Exposition to raise their voices against so moderate an appropriation as the pending bill called for.

Mr. Bartlett inquired of Mr. Livernash who it was that supported any Southern exposition appropriation who was opposed to the bill.

With some warmth Mr. Livernash answered that "the gentleman assumes too much if he assumes that I regard him as the only gentleman on this side of the chamber."

The retort nettled Mr. Bartlett, who remarked that "the gentleman assumes a great deal if he assumes that he is a gentleman at all."

"There are some comments," Mr. Livernash replied, "that call for no answer." He then continued his advocacy of the passage of the bill.

Mr. Bowers, of Mississippi, answered some statements recently made by Mr. Gillet, of Massachusetts, regarding violations of the constitution of some of the Southern States with respect to negro suffrage.

He read from various decisions of Mississippi courts in which it was held that the State did not discriminate against the races, but that it had been fair and impartial in the enforcement of the suffrage clause of the constitution. He declared that the negro was safe in the hands of the Governor of Mississippi, and said that in Mississippi the negroes' rights to life, liberty, property and the pursuit of happiness were as carefully guarded by the governor as by the governor of Massachusetts or any other State.

Mr. Bowers asserted that the negro's entry into politics simply was to serve a party expedient and that his political baptism was in and of Republican ascendancy. He believed, he said, that race purity could be preserved absolutely by the utter segregation of the races in every scholastic relation. The slightest intermingling of the races, he declared was fraught with peril. He said that the negro was not fit for self-government, and he was greeted with Democratic applause when he said the negro should, within constitutional limits, be eliminated as a political factor.

"I thank God," he added, "that the constitution of Mississippi swept the circle of expedients to accomplish that end." He closed by saying that the people of the South were grappling with the negro question in an intelligent and patriotic way and were better qualified to solve it than the people of the North.

The House adjourned until to-morrow.

HOSTILE FORCES IN THE FAR EAST.

Russians Will Be Ready to Take the Offensive About Middle of This Month.

NEGOTIATING FOR WARSHIPS.

Rumors of a Russian Reverse on the Yalu River is Denied—A Sea Fight Reported—Russian Reserves Being Mobilized for Service.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 8.—The mobilization of the Black Sea reserves is necessitated in order to fill gaps caused by drafting sailors to the Far East. It is expected that a similar mobilization will come into effect in the Baltic provinces within a month.

An authorized denial is given of the rumors of a Russian reverse on the Yalu, which was circulated in Paris to day.

To Take Offensive.

BERLIN, April 8.—The "Tageblatt's" war correspondent, writing on a train while nearing Harbin, March 19, said:

"Only six trains daily pass east on the railroad to Manchuria and only four thence to Harbin, but these consist of as many as thirty-eight cars. The railroad apparently is able to meet the military demands."

The correspondent added that the Russians will be ready to take the offensive about the middle of this month.

Buying Warships.

PARIS, April 8.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the "Echo de Paris" says that a French agent is negotiating for the sale of Argentine warships to Russia, which is determined to have a superiority over the Japanese fleet by the end of July.

Russia on the Defensive.

ST. PETERSBURG, April 9.—The Vostooney Vastik's Harbin correspondence says everything shows that on account of unpreparedness it has been decided to operate on the defensive. It is believed that the Japanese will never pass Mukden.

In anticipation of the cutting of the railroad, the correspondent says, families south of Mukdenhave been ordered north. He adds that the regular guard has been supplemented by volunteers armed by the government and drilled by army instructors.

Troops travel forty-five versts an hour going to Diao Yang, according to the correspondent.

SEOUL, April 8.—The steamer Suminoye Maru called in at Chemulpo to-day to take on board 300 men belonging to the First division. The newspaper correspondents on board the Suminoye Maru were not permitted to land and a correspondent who was here waiting to go forward with the Japanese troops was refused permission to embark on the steamer.

Sea Fight Rumored.

PARIS, April 9.—The St. Petersburg correspondent of the Echo de Paris says that Admiral Makaroff went out from Port Arthur this morning, a Japanese squadron having been signalled as in the offing. It is rumored, the correspondent says, that a sea fight took place, but nothing concerning it is officially known.

HEPBURN-DOLLIVER BILL.

Granting States Police Power Over Liquor Shipped Within Their Borders Favorably Reported to the House.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The report favoring the passage of the Hepburn-Dolliver bill, granting the States police power over original packages of liquor shipped within their borders as interstate commerce, was filed in the House to-day by Representative Clayton, of Alabama. The report says the bill is not a prohibition measure, but its sole purpose "is to allow each State to carry out its own domestic policy in regard to the control of intoxicating beverages within the boundaries of the State. The sole effect will be to permit the State, if it so wills, to circumscribe the sale of intoxicating beverages within its boundaries to the full extent that it may desire to restrain such traffic or to regulate the sale of the same through the medium of its own laws, including local option laws, high license laws, or dispensary laws."

BOTKIN MURDER TRIAL.

Defendant Found Guilty—An Appeal—Another Charge Against Mrs. Botkin.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—In view of the notice given by Attorney Knight, that an appeal would be taken from the conviction of Mrs. Cordelia Botkin, who was found guilty of the murder of Mrs. John P. Dunning, District Attorney Byington has notified the witnesses for the prosecution who came from Dover, Delaware, to remain here temporarily.

It is understood to be the intention of the district attorney to have a warrant issued for the arrest of Mrs. Botkin, charging her with the murder of Mrs. Deane, a sister of Mrs. Dunning, the evidence in both cases being virtually the same. This action will permit the deposition of the Delaware witnesses to be taken while they are in the jurisdiction of the court. It is estimated that the cost to the State of the prosecution of Mrs. Botkin thus far amounts to about $30,000.

WARM WIRELETS

Joe Tipman, of Baltimore, made Joe Bernstein, the "Ghetto champion" of New York, quit in the fourth round of their fifteen round bout last night. Both are light weights.

Rev. R. A. Timmons, D. D., a well known Methodist minister, died at Gadsden, Ala. He had been presiding elder in the North Alabama conference for the past twenty years.

The battleship Massachusetts of the North Atlantic fleet has sailed from Pensacola for New York, where she will take on board the cadets of the Annapolis Naval Academy for their annual cruise.

Representative Dalzell has filed the report authorized by the Committee on Ways and Means on the substitute bill favored by Internal Revenue Commissioner Yerkes for the relief of tobacco growers by the removal of the internal revenue tax and special tax on leaf tobacco in the hands of the growers.

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CAROLINA LOST TO CORNELL.

Beautiful Game Yesterday in Raleigh, S. A. L. Flagman Fatally Injured.

[Special Star Telegram.]

RALEIGH, N. C., April 8.—The University of North Carolina baseball team lost this afternoon to Cornell in a fast ten inning game, the score being 3 to 2. Carolina made a gdiant fight, and came near giving the New York Giants a defeat on their victorious passage to their Northern home. Cornell could not find Oldham Carolina's twirler, but in the tenth there was a fatal throw by Oldham that lost the game. In that inning with a tie score, Carolina had retired to the field without scoring; Bramen gained first on third base; a bunt by Welch gave him first and Bramen second. Lovejoy bunted and pitcher Oldham made the fatal throw to first, allowing Bramen to score. Among 500 spectators the most intense excitemen prevailed during the whole game. Cornell's first two scores were in the fouth inning. Both Carolina's were in the eighth. Batteries: Oldham and Nole for Carolina; Lovejoy and Welch for Cornell.

Flagman L. A. Branch, of the second division of the Seaboard Air Line, was probably fatally burnd and lacerated this afternoon on the yard at Johnson street station. He came in on a northbound vegetable train, and in jumping from the caboosestepped in front of a shifting engine. His right side was burned and cut; a great gash was cut in his head, and his body was badly bruised. There is little hope for his recovery.

TEXAS TORNADO

Killed Three Persons and Injured Nine Others, Three Fatally.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

HOUSTON, TEXAS, April 8.—A tornado which passed near the town of Mexia killed three persons and injured nine others, three of whom it is feared are fatally hurt. The dead are: John Ballard, his wife and our-year old child. The names of all the injured are not known. Many houses were demolished and much damage was done to growing crops.

Mrs. Kate Farrior Dead

Friends will regret to learn of the death of Mrs. Kate Kely Farrior, wife of Mr. Stephen Farrior, of Kenansville, and a sister of Mr. J. J. Kelly, of this city, which occured at the hospital last night after an illness since last November with paralysis. Mrs. Farrior was about 50 years of age and leaves besides those mentioned only another brother, Mr. I. B. Kelly, of Kenansville. The remains will be sent to Kenansville this morning for interment.

According to a dispach to the Vienna "Neue Freie Presse," an earthquake April 4th killed twenty-five persons, injured forty, destroyed 1,500 houses and caused great distress in the vilayets of Kossovo and Salonica, Macedonia.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

NOTICES For Rent or Sale, Lost or Found, Wants, and other short Miscellaneous Advertisements inserted in this department, in solid Nonpariel Type, for 1 cent per word each insertion; but no advertisement taken for less than 10 cents. Terms positively cash in advance

Take the children to the Beach for fresh air and a good time. Beginning to-day and continuing for one week fare on suburban trolley line for children under twelve years 25 cents round trip. All cars run over to the Beach. Car every hour from 1 to 7 P. M. ap 9 1t

Stolen Horse. I have in my possession a horse supposed to have been stolen; color black, medium size, about 10 or 12 years old. Owner can recover by applying to me at Castle Haynes, N. C. J. W. Winders. apr 9 2t

Rooms for rent, 219 South Second street, between Orange and Ann. apr 9 1t*

Lost—On Monday night either on car or on the street between Y. M. C. A. and Front and Nun, lady's black ruching with longe ends. Finder please leave at this office. apr 9 1t

Experienced, all-round telephone man wanted to do contract work, keeping up line and 'phone. Address "Telephone," Box 498, city. apr 9 3t

For Exchange—One trio White Plymouth Rocks for Black Minorca hens. Send offer to Dan N. McLean, Maxton, N. C. apr 9 2t*

Found—Setter dog, large black spots on each side, black hips, black ears and white face. Apply to J. C. Oldham, care S. P. Cowan, Wilmington, N. C. apr 9 1t*

Horses for Sale—A few nice horses suitable for draft and driving purposes; among them one bay team and a saddle pony. Thoroughly acclimated. Orrell & Alexander. apr 7 3t

Telephone Notice—The Columbus Telephone Co. now in full operation and giving good service from Wilmington to Southport, Cronly, Whiteville, Chadbourn, Clarkton and other points. The public patronage is solicited. S. F. Craig, Manager. apr 7 3t

Boarders wanted at No. 15 North Fifth street. Terms reasonable. apr 6 1w

New Series of stock in the Co-operative Building and Loan Association opens Saturday, May 7th. Shares 25c each. Plenty money to loan on easy terms. For full particulars see the Secretary. Wm. E. Worth, President; Thos. H. Wright, Secretary. apr 5 1m

For Rent—Furnished rooms. 212 Walnut street. mr 27 tf

Brown Leghorn Eggs, from high bred stock, for sale at 50 cents per dozen. R. A. Montgomery, Eighth and Princess streets. mar 16 tf

Thirty loaves Washington Bros. d for $1.00 or three for 10 cents, at Farrie's, 109 South Front street. feb 24 tf

The Only Restaurant is prepared to accommodate any number for breakfast, dinner and supper at the reasonable price of 25 cents each Meal. Also special attention given to short orders at any time, day or night. ja 26 tf

Sewing Machines, Typewriters, Organs repaired. Will be in town for a few days only. Address J. B. Farrar, No. 9 South Eighth street. dec 30 tf

For Sale—Two turpentine stills in good working condition—one especially good. Cheap for cash. C. W. Worth, receiver. dec 13 tf

Cabbage, Apples, Onions Irish Potatoes, Eggs and all kinds of produce at A. S. Winstead's to-day, 213 Market street. Both 'Phones. sep 5 tf

Offices for rent in The Worth Building—the most convenient business location in the city. Modern equipment. Apply to The Worth Co. feb 18 tf

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA, EASTERN District of North Carolina, ss: In the United States District Court, in and for said district. Fourth division. In the matter of J. L. Brimer, Bankrupt. No. 119, in bankruptcy. Petition for discharge. To the Honorable Thomas R. Purnell, Judge of the District Court of the United States for the Eastern District of North Carolina: J. L. Brimer, of Wilmington, in the county of New Hanover, and State of North Carolina, in said District, respectfully represents that on the 3rd day of March last past he was duly adjudged bankrupt under the acts of Congress relating to bankruptcy; that he has duly surrendered all his property and rights of property, and has fully complied with all the requirements of said acts and of the orders of the court touching his bankruptcy. Wherefore he prays that he may be decreed by the court to have a full discharge from all debts provable against his estate under said bankrupt acts, except such debts as are exempted by law from such discharge.

Dated this 5th day of April, A. D. 1904.

J. L. BRIMER, Bankrupt.

ORDER OF NOTICE THEREON.

Eastern District of North Carolina, County of New Hanover, ss.: On this 8th day of April, A. D. 1904, on reading the foregoing petition, it is ordered by the Court, that a hearing be had upon the same on the 19th day of April A. D. 1904, before S. P. Collier, Esq., referee of said court, at Wilmington, N. C., in said district at 12 o'clock forenoon; and that notice thereof be published in THE MORNING STAR, a newspaper printed in said district, and that all known creditors and other persons in interest may appear at the said time and place, and show cause, if any they have, why the prayer of the said petitioner should not be granted. And it is further ordered by the Court, that the Clerk shall send by mail to all known creditors copies of said petition and this order, addressed to them at their places of residence as stated. Witness the Honorable Thomas R. Purnell, Judge of the said court, and the seal thereof, at Wilmington, N. C., in said district, on the 8th day of April, A. D. 1904.

adr 9 1t WM. H. SHAW, Clerk.

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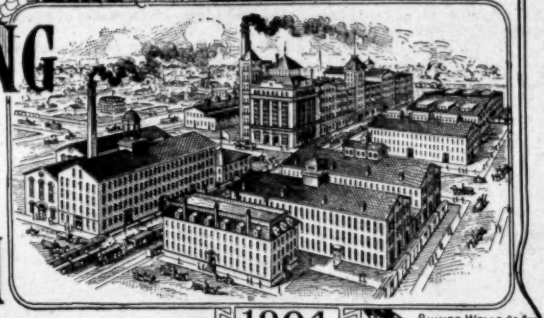

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apr 6 tf 119 Market Street.

A dispatch from St. Petersburg, describing the burial of Russian seamen slain in the naval battle at Chemulpo, says that a detachment of sailors from the United States gunboat Vicksburg as well as those from other foreign warships followed the bodies to the grave.

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Your Easter Wants.

We have looked well to your wants for the Easter trade. In our Millinery Department which is stronger this season than ever before with beautiful new goods you will find everything which you could desire for your Easter Hats, Fancy Goods, Collars, Laces and Ribbons. We have added to day a splendid line of new Fans and new Belts. There is no store in this country that can show one half as many pretty goods as we have on exhibition.

The young ladies in this department are anxious to fill your memorandums by mail or in person. We trim all hats free of charge, that are bought from us, and our able force of milliners absolutely guarantee satisfaction, and we feel sure we can show you the prettiest line of hats you have seen this season. Miss Alma Brown spent several weeks in the Northern markets and with her splendid taste and experience chose a most beautiful selection. Our ribbon counters are bright with a full assortment of the most beautiful and most stylish ribbons at all prices and in all widths. Our veilings deserve special mention and we have probably the best selection that we have ever been able to show. They are of the most beautiful colors and all are of the latest styles; prices from 10c. a yard to 25c. a yard. Our ready-made veils are of different lengths and colors. We have them from 45c. up to $2 00 each. We have made a special purchase in ladies' mourning veils; silk and wool black crepe, 36x42 inches, we are selling for 75c. and 98c. each, veils which sell regular for $3.00.

We have thought of your wants for an Easter waist, a nice silk waist. We have Jap. silk waists nicely embroidered at $2 each. A better waist, with more work and embroidery at $2 98; still finer and more elaborately trimmed at $3 50, $4 and up to $5 each We also have a nice line of Taffeta waists in black and colors and they are not high, either. Prices way down, from $3 up; we are showing a splendid line of underskirts and top skirts for ladies; we have all grades in these skirts from the very finest silk skirt at $15 50 down to a nicely made, well trimmed silk skirt at $5 Our worsted skirts are made up in good style walking skirts, full size, at $1 each and on up to $7 50; we can certainly show a beautiful line of skirts from $2 50 to $5.

Our second floor which represents the millinery department in our store, gives employment to 19 young ladies. We have a nice elevator that is in perfect order and even if you have nothing to buy we would be glad to have you visit this department, and we can assure you that you will see nothing like it in this country. We have hundreds of corsets of the latest and best styles. Our principal corset is the B. C. N. which represents the best corset sold for the money, being perfect in fit and made in all the latest styles, nicely trimmed and wear longer for the money than any corset made. The prices are from 50c to $1.00 each.

We want your Easter trade and we are working hard to get it. We have received hundreds of cases of new goods this week and everything shown in our millinery department is new and this season's styles, no old goods at all. We promise prompt delivery, fill all orders the same day they are received and will try not to disappoint anyone in their Easter hats. Remember the place.

Our stock of Malines are in all light colors and also black. We bought a large job of them and can sell you 35c Malines for 15c a yard. Good Chiffons, 42 inches wide, at 35c a yard.

Shirt Waists: In our Ready to Wear Department we are showing a very strong line of Waists at all prices. We are selling a Percale waist with new tab collar, full size with well made wristbands and good bright colors, at 25c each.

We are showing a nice line of Bedford Cord waists in bright pretty colors of the latest styles at 50c each. We also have a nice assortment of Madras waists in all colors at 50c each. Black Lawn waists for 50c and $1.00. Our Black Mercerized waists look like a $5.00 garment and the price is only $1.00 each. A White Waist—well, we have everything from 40c, 50c, 75c and up to $2.00 each.

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